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NEWS SUMMARY

FOREIGN.

Russian elections prove a farce, being controlled by troops and police in the interest of the government.—Page 17.

DOMESTIC.

The Waters-Peirce Oil company obeyed the order of the Missouri Supreme court and produced its books at hearing.—Page 14.

Secretary Taft received cable advices from Gen. Wood that reports of women and children being killed in Mount Dajo battle were inventions of Manila correspondents.—Page 10.

Bellamy Storer, ambassador to Austria-Hungary, is summarily removed from office by President Roosevelt.—Page 16.

Senators McCreary, Bailey and Heyburn made arguments on the Hepburn railroad rate bill.—Page 7.

New postoffice appropriation bill prohibits the loaning of their franking privileges by congressmen.—Page 10.

Great snowslide swept 12 miners to death and caused destruction to property in the western mining camps. Trains also blockaded by snowdrifts.—Page 1.

Operators and miners of the bituminous fields in four states will confer today on the scale.—Page 1.

PENNSYLVANIA.

Judge Criswell of Franklin said Prohibitionists must cite authorities regarding license cases.—Page 6.

LOCAL.

The Colonial Trust Company, Jane C. Jutte and her children and the Mercantile Trust Company filed a bill in equity against E. N. Hoffstot and James W. Friend, charging them with conspiracy to defraud the widow and children of W. C. Jutte out of his estate, amounting to millions of dollars.—Page 1.

Mrs. Matilda E. Hineman applied to court to appoint a guardian for her sister, Clara E. Sutmeyer, claiming she is weak-minded and liable to become the victim of designing persons.—Page 7.

License court finished 100 cases yesterday and will complete the Eleventh ward today.—Page 3.

Local coal operators again predicted strike and declared they would forever give up union labor if Pittsburgh Coal Company makes individual agreement.—Page 5.

Obituaries, death notices and the marriage licenses issued yesterday.—Page 6.

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SPORTING.

Bad weather again prevented the Pirates from practicing at Hot Springs.—Page 11.

Chicago Century bowling team leads in the national convention at Louisville.—Page 11.

McGovern, of course, wants another fight with Battling Nelson.—Page 11.

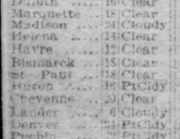
Favorites fare badly on the New Orleans racing tracks.—Page 12.

FINANCIAL.

New York stocks weak, closing at or near the lowest prices of the day. Pittsburgh market still dominated by activity in mining shares.

Snow in the southwest had a weakening effect in wheat market. May option steady on demand for cash article.—Pages 17, 18 and 19.

THE WEATHER



Snow.

Snow and colder today, partly cloudy and probably snow tomorrow, is the forecast for Pittsburgh and vicinity made by the official observer at Washington. The maximum temperature yesterday was 42 degrees and the minimum 28 degrees. The sun rose cloudy at 6:24 a. m. and set cloudy at 6:31 p. m. The daily weather report, furnished by the local weather bureau, follows:

Time.	Baro.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Vel.	Weather
8 a.m.	.....	30	86	N.E.	5	Snow
8 p.m.	.....	35	100	N.W.	5	Rain

Comparative temperature and precipitation for March 19:

	1906	1905		1906	1905
Maximum	42	65	Mean	35	60
Minimum	28	56	Precipitation	86	41
Nor. temp. 31 yrs.	33		Nor. precip. 31 yrs.	.58	
Dfcy. for day	3		Exc. for day	.58	
Dfcy. since Mch. 1.	71		Exc. since Mch. 1.	.91	
Exc. since Jan. 1.	45		Dfcy. since Jan. 1.	2.13	

Government Weather Forecast.

WASHINGTON, March 19.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania—Snow Tuesday, with colder in south portion; Wednesday partly cloudy, probably snow flurries; fresh to brisk northwest winds.

West Virginia—Snow and colder Tuesday; Wednesday fair, except snow in eastern portion.

Ohio—Snow flurries Tuesday; Wednesday fair.

Observations taken at 8 p. m.:

Columbus	24 Snow	Parkersburg	36 Cloudy
Chicago	28 Snow	Springf'd, Ill.	28 Snow
Peoria	28 Cloudy	Dubuque	28 Cloudy
St. Louis	28 Cloudy	Des Moines	22 Clear
Omaha	20 PtCldy	Davenport	26 Cloudy
Memphis	32 PtCldy	Cincinnati	28 Snow
Vicksburg	42 PtCldy	Indianapolis	26 Snow
Atlanta	42 Cloudy	Washington	32 Rain
Oklahoma	30 Clear	Grand Rapids	28 Snow
Wichita	24 Clear	Grand Haven	28 Cloudy
Concordia	18 Clear	Chattanooga	38 Snow
Cairo	32 Cloudy	Philadelphia	34 Rain
El Paso	36 Clear	New York	34 Rain
Nashville	34 Snow	Jacksonville	68 Cloudy
Louisville	30 Snow	Montgomery	48 Cloudy
Duluth	16 Clear	Kansas City	22 Clear
Marquette	18 Clear	Springf'd, Mo.	22 Cloudy
Madison	24 Cloudy	Little Rock	24 Clear
Keokuk	24 Cloudy	Fort Smith	34 Cloudy
Havre	12 Clear	Yellowstone	20 PtCldy
Bismarck	18 Clear	Jct. Junction	24 PtCldy
St. Paul	18 Clear	Rapid City	12 Clear
Huron	16 PtCldy	Valentine	18 Clear
Cheyenne	20 Clear	Dodge City	26 PtCldy
Lander	6 Cloudy	North Platte	14 Clear
Denver	24 PtCldy	Shreveport	46 PtCldy
Pueblo	28 Cloudy	San Antonio	52 Clear
Salt Lake	40 Clear	New Orleans	56 Cloudy
Modena	34 Clear	Galveston	54 Clear
Santa Fe	40 PtCldy	Jacksonville	64 Clear
Amarillo	32 Clear	Boston	32 Clear
Norfolk	62 Cloudy		

Observations taken at 8 a. m.

CHARGE TWO FINANCIERS WITH FRAUD

W. C. Jutte's Widow Says Hoffstot and Friend Have Her Millions.

SUIT IS COMMENCED

Aver Big Transactions With the Insane Suicide Show Conspiracy to Get Estate.

WANT RECEIVER APPOINTED

F. N. Hoffstot and James W. Friend, two of Pittsburgh's prominent financiers, are charged with conspiracy to defraud the late W. C. Jutte and his estate out of all his property, amounting to millions, in a bill in equity filed in court of common pleas No. 2, yesterday, by the Colonial Trust Company as administrator of W. C. Jutte, Jane C. Jutte, his widow, and the Mercantile Trust Company, guardian of his children, Ida B., Augusta G., Charles B., William R., James H. and James Friend Jutte.

The bill asks for relief, and that a receiver take charge of the property of C. Jutte & Co., now said to be in the hands of the defendants, and all other property and real estate which was alleged to have been turned over to them when Jutte was not in condition to transact business.

Judge Shafer fixed Friday morning for a hearing in the application for a preliminary injunction to prevent the defendants from disposing of the property now in their hands.

The bill is sensational in its details and describes all transactions which the attorneys for the plaintiffs, William M. Galbraith, B. M. Ambler, A. Leo Weil and Charles M. Thorp, could incorporate in the papers. Jutte, it will be remembered, committed suicide by shooting himself through the heart at Atlantic City while one of his nurses was out of his room. This bill recites the story of Jutte's business tranacctions and does not mince words in its declaration that three weeks after Hoffstot and Friend had been given much of Jutte's securities, he attempted suicide by shooting himself through the head. This was in 1901, previous to his successful effort at self-destruction.

Startling Allegations Made.

The plaintiffs, after stating their relation to the Jutte estate, allege that W. C. Jutte, between November, 1901, and the time of his death, turned over to Hoffstot and Friend his own estate, consisting of stocks, bonds and real estate, worth over $1,000,000, and that they still hold the same; they complain that Hoffstot and Friend claim over a half thereof as commissions for loans and payment for services in making loans, although all of such loans, with interest, have been fully paid, and that they further

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TWELVE MEN ARE HURLED TO DEATH

Great Avalanche of Snow Carries Colorado Mining Camp to Doom.

BIG PROPERTY LOSS

Trains Throughout the Nation Are Tied Up by an Unprecedented Snow Storm.

WEATHER IS NASTY LOCALLY

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

SILVERTON, COL., March 19.—Twelve miners employed at the Shenandoah mine were caught by a great snowslide today and swept to their death. Their bodies have not yet been recovered. Assistance has been summoned from Silverton to help dig the victims from beneath the snow.

The slide struck the boarding house while they were at dinner. It is said that 21 men were caught in the slide, and that nine dug their way out.

TELLURIDE, COL., March 19.—A snowslide which came down yesterday at the Liberty Bell mine damaged the upper terminal of the tramway and considerable trestlework. It ran in the path of the slide of February 28, 1902, which killed 12 men. Many miners remembering that slide, left the mine today and came to Telluride. Another huge slide came down yesterday near the Bullion tunnel of the Smuggler-Union mines, damaging the blacksmith shop and other buildings.

CURAY, COL., March 19.—All the employes of the Camp Bird mine and mills, who took refuge in a tunnel to escape snowslides, reached Ouray today, coming over the mountain on snowshoes. Communication had today with several other mines shows that the men employed at those mines are safe.

CHICAGO, March 19.—The heaviest snow storm of the winter has been in progress here since last night. In 12 hours four inches of snow fell, and being driven by a high wind from the northwest, it drifted badly and made operations of street cars difficult. Many trains were reported from two to ten hours late.

NEW YORK, March 19.—Six inches of snow fell in this city today and for a time interfered seriously with the services on all surface roads. The subway tonight was taxed more severely than at any time since the tunnel was opened.

Shipping in the harbor was interfered with, but the only accident reported was a collision between the West Shore railroad ferry, Rochester and the Erie railroad ferry Passaic. The latter steamer was quite seriously damaged. Although the passengers were badly frightened no one was injured.

DECATUR, ILL., March 19.—A Cincinnati, Dayton & Hamilton passenger train

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When the "Aunties" Have the Say

POLICE FURNISH PATROL AND TOWN BUYS THE HORSE

Citizens Further a Spirit of Co-Operation and Will Provide the Patronage.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., March 19.—The spirit of co-operation has pervaded the local police department, and as a result patrons of the town lockup will hereafter be conveyed to their destination by horsepower. For many years the police of Connellsville have suffered the humiliation of helping overburdened officers to carry their "loads" to the town repository, but the pretty Good Samaritan sentiment has been overworked.

Recently the police established a wheelbarrow service, but it was difficult to maintain a fair running schedule. Unthwarted, the bosoms of the bluecoats filled with civic pride in proportion to the aching of their backs in hauling patrons to the lockup, so they raised a fund by personal contributions and have presented the town with a police patrol. The town council has agreed to furnish the horse. The citizens will furnish the patronage.

ENGINEER MEETS DEATH TRYING TO SAVE PASSENGERS

J. D. Waterman Dies at Throttle After Making Heroic Effort to Prevent a Wreck.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

PARKERSBURG, W. VA., March 19.—J. D. Waterman of Chillicothe, O., an engineer on the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern railroad, died a hero this afternoon, and by the sacrifice of his own life saved a score or more of others. Waterman, who was considered one of the safest engineers on the road, left here this afternoon on the Parkersburg and Midland City accommodation. From Fireman O. B. Day, also of Chillicothe, who was in the cab with Waterman, the story of what occurred in the cab is learned.

The train was nearing Coolville, a small station 20 miles west of here, when the engineer and fireman saw within 100 feet a huge boulder on the track ahead. "Jump" cried Waterman to his fireman, and the latter did so, escaping with severe bruises. Before he left the cab he tried to persuade the engineer to jump also, but the latter shook his head.

It was but the work of an instant to throw on the air brakes. Waterman then grasped the throttle and reversed it. Standing at his post he did all that man could. With his hand still on the throttle he was found by the crew crushed to death.

The engineer was 65 years old and had been an engineer for 45 years. The injured were: O. B. Day of Chillicothe, fireman; Charles Reynolds of Clarksburg, W. Va., postal clerk, and J. C. Peregoy of Zanesville, O., traveling salesman. Several others were slightly bruised. The engine, tender, and baggage car were piled up in a mass. The injured were placed in a hospital here and all will recover.

GETS HIS FIRST EARNINGS.

Millionaire Collects Two and One Half Cents With Compound Interest After 41 Years.

CHICAGO, March 19.—(Special.)—Jacob Schnellbacher, 55 years of age, millionaire brewer, shoe manufacturer and real estate owner of Peoria, today collected ½ cents—the first money he ever earned—which with compound interest amounted to 77½ cents.

Forty years ago Isaac Haas of Wersau, Germany, agreed to pay Schnellbacher 10 kreutzers, about 2½ cents, for leading a cow one mile and a half. Haas failed to pay, but Schnellbacher never forgot it. He found Joseph Wolf, a grandson of Haas, in the Rookery building today. An accountant figured up the debt and said with compound interest it was 77½ cents. This Wolfe paid, sending out and cutting one penny in halves.

THIEVES IN THAT COURT.

Judge and Clerk Agree That Only Safety for Juror's Overcoat Is Under His Eye.

NEW YORK, March 19.—(Special.)—In calling a juror to the box in the trial term, part vi., of the supreme court today the clerk of court noticed that the juror left his overcoat on the rear bench on which he had been seated and exclaimed: "Take your overcoat with you."

"Yes," remarked Justice Scott, with a smile, "it's safe. It's a sad commentary on this temple of justice, but overcoats have a way of disappearing while we are dispensing justice."

The juror made a rush for his overcoat and kept a tight clutch upon it even after he had taken his seat in the jury box.

HUSBAND WHO DESERTED BRINGS BACK A FORTUNE

TOLEDO, O., March 19.—(Special.)—After 19 years of separation from his wife, Alfred Roscoe, aged 66, has returned to his home, begged forgiveness of the woman he deserted and been forgiven. In his travels he amassed a fortune, which he today placed at the disposal of his wronged wife.

CONVERTED TRAMP MUST PAY THE FULL FARE TO RAILROAD

Former Knight of Road Desires to Reimburse Company for Stolen Rides on Bumpers.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

MARION, O., March 19.—(Special.)—A former tramp, whose name is withheld by the officials of the Big Four railroad, has written a letter in which he says he wishes to pay for rides he stole on the bumpers of freight cars, and asks for the best rates that can be given him. After giving the places to which he beat his way, he adds:

"I am converted now and I want to make things right as soon as I can."

In an itemized statement, which is being made out, the former tramp will be asked the full rates, not even allowing him the advantage of the two-cent rate in Ohio, because he rode on the bumpers in this state before the two-cent fare became law.

UMBRELLA SAVES LIFE.

Acting as Parachute It Permits Man to Fall 100 Feet, Lands on Rocks and Escapes Death.

UNION HILL, N. J., March 19.—(Special.)—Salvatore Bianco, of the River road, Cliff Side, dropped 100 feet from the brow of the palisades today and escaped with slight injuries, his umbrella acting as a parachute in breaking his fall.

Bianco, with his umbrella drawn over his head, was pushing his way through the blinding snowstorm along the brow of the palisades, when he got off the path and toppled over the precipice.

He clung tightly to his outspread umbrella as he shot downward. He fell rapidly for a short distance, then his umbrella checked his flight until he was near the bottom, when it turned inside out and he landed on the rocks below. He will be able to get about in a few days.

RUNAWAY AT FUNERAL.

Driver Is Thrown from Carriage and Cortege Is Stopped Until His Injuries Are Dressed.

Charles Kerber, a driver for the undertaking firm of Hunter & Edmundson, McKeesport, was thrown from a carriage on the Dravosburg hill, while driving to a funeral yesterday. He was rendered unconscious and the cortege was stopped while a physician was summoned.

The pole of the carriage broke and the horses, becoming unmanageable, ran into a hillside. The occupants of the carriage were uninjured.

SCHOOL TEACHERS ON STRIKE AND SCHOOLS CLOSE DOWN

WILKES-BARRE, PA., March 19.—(Special.)—The school teachers of Pittston township went on strike today, the schools were closed and 500 children were shut out. The teachers say there is an average of about $400 due each of them in back pay, and the directors made no effort to get any money for them. Three years ago the teachers of the same township went on strike and were out for several weeks before they forced the directors to pay them.

TRAVELS 150,000 MILES; SPENDS $1.50 FOR CARFARE

NEW YORK, March 19.—(Special.)—After an absence of three years, spent in traveling around the world as a stowaway, Henry Kraft, 18 years old, arrived here today on the Cunard liner Umbria. He left New York on the Hamburg liner Cecilia and went to Odessa. The boy says he has since traveled about 150,000 miles, that when he sailed from home he had only $4, and during the entire trip spent $1.50 in carfare.

Sugar King Spreckels Dying.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., March 19.—(Special.)—John D. Spreckels, the "sugar king," who has been critically ill is believed to be dying.

BITUMINOUS CONFERENCE HELDTODAY

Operators and Miners of Four States Will Act for Their Territory.

THEY CAN FIX SCALE

Winder Succeeds Robbins as Chairman—Dodds Speaks for the Miners Here.

PITTSBURGH OPERATORS MEET

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

INDIANAPOLIS, March 19.—That there will be a second joint conference of coal operators and miners of the Central competitive district, comprising Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and Western Pennsylvania, was definitely determined this afternoon, when the operators of the four states met in convention and adopted a resolution setting forth their willingness to meet the representatives of the United Mine Workers. Subsequent arrangements between J. H. Winder, chairman of the operators, and President John Mitchell of the mine workers, fixed the first session of the joint conference for tomorrow.

Following the retirement of F. L. Robbins, president of the Pittsburgh Coal Company, as chairman of the operators, and the election of J. H. Winder of Ohio as his successor, a resolution was adopted providing that the operators of the four states should elect their own spokesmen, and that there be no official representatives of the four states collectively, either in joint convention or joint scale committee.

F. L. Robbins tonight refused to make a statement regarding his reasons for relinquishing the leadership of the operators. His successor, Mr. Winder, was equally reticent and neither would discuss the attitude he will assume on the floor of the joint convention.

In anticipation of the action taken by the operators this afternoon, looking to another joint conference, the mine workers, through W. D. Ryan, T. L. Lewis, Wellington O'Connor and William Dodds, acting respectively for the states of Illinois, Ohio, Indiana and Western Pennsylvania, announced the appointment of members of the joint scale committee which will act for the miners' organization. Those for Pennsylvania are William Dodds, William Little, James Clark, Frank Feehan; for Ohio, T. L. Lewis, W. H. Green, Dennis Sullivan, George Savage.

The operators adopted the report of the committee on rules providing that each state shall be entitled to four votes to be cast as such state shall direct. No resolution shall be declared adopted except by a majority affirmative vote of each and all of the states represented.

A resolution was adopted setting forth that out of respect for the expressed wish of President Roosevelt, the operators would meet the miners in joint conference and the chairman was authorized to make arrangements for such conference. Chairman Winder later arranged with President Mitchell of the miners to have the joint conference begin at Tomlinson hall tomorrow at 10 o'clock.

The Pittsburgh operators met in conference this afternoon and unanimously agreed upon the following committee to represent them in accordance with the rules adopted by the general meeting of operators: F. L. Robbins, G. W. Schneiderbers, W. W. Keefer and George A. Magoon. This committee will act as the scale committee for the Pittsburgh operators. The following alternates were selected: G. W. Thomas, J. T. M. Stoneroad, J. C. Patterson and Walter Coulson.

STRIKE WILL BE AVOIDED BY OPERATORS' CONCESSIONS

Robbins and Pittsburgh Coal Co. Will Do Much Toward Dictating Terms. Haskins Retired.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

INDIANAPOLIS, March 19.—Opening with a stubbornly adverse attitude toward Chairman F. L. Robbins of the Pittsburgh Coal Company this morning, subsequent conferences of the operators toned down to an earnest effort to do something to obviate a strike. It is apparent that Mr. Robbins still largely dominates the situation. Nothing has developed that obviates a disruption, as indicated in The Gazette's previous reports, but so long as the conferences are on or under way strife may be avoided.

There is now sufficient ground for the statement that prospects are for a backdown of the operators of the several states and co-operation of the other operators with Robbins in his attitude for a settlement. Even under these conditions the internal differences in Illinois will have to go back to the state for separate settlement, and leading operators of that and other states can see nothing but a strike there.

At a meeting of the Western Pennsylvania operators this afternoon Mr. Robbins, acting as chairman, stated that personally he owned 32 per cent of the stock of the big mines of Illinois, and that the Pittsburgh Coal Company owns enough more to constitute a control of 50 per cent. This came like a bomb. Mr. Robbins went further to state that the directors of these Illinois interests by recent vote had put the issues entirely in his hands. With the large properties controlled by the Pittsburgh Coal Company in the Ohio fields, the Pittsburgh company's chairman will still have something to say in affairs in both Ohio and Illinois. In short, this agreement cannot be renewed without him and he holds the whip hand if it is disrupted.

Independents Wishes Met.

George A. Magoon of the Pittsburgh and Westmoreland Coal Company suggested to this meeting that the Pittsburgh independents should have a representative in the scale committee. Mr. Robbins suggested that they have one principal and all the alternates and that the four prin-

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PREMIER WITTE INTIMATES THAT HE WILL RETIRE

Privy Counsellor Kokovsoff Is to Succeed Him According to St. Petersburg Reports.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

ST. PETERSBURG, March 19.—In high circles late tonight the rumor was current that Count Witte had definitely decided to retire from the premiership. The Associated Press is unable to confirm the rumor, as Count Witte had retired and the chancellry was closed when the correspondent called shortly after midnight. From an absolutely authentic source, however, it can be stated that Count Witte, at a session of the council of the empire this afternoon made an enigmatical statement which is interpreted by many members of the council as a virtual declaration that his career as premier is ended and that he will be succeeded by Privy Counsellor Kokovsoff, formerly minister of finance.

A project for the solution of the Agrarian problem by the purchase of lands from the nobles and other large proprietors by the peasant banks and their sale to peasants on long term installment payments was under discussion. As the treasurer is in no condition to advance the money to the banks for this purpose Count Witte advocated a scheme under which the banks should purchase the land within 15 years credit bonds instead of cash.

A very marked division of the cabinet followed. Finance Minister Shipoff opposed the premier. Suddenly M. Kokovsoff arose and in a warm speech supported Count Witte's views.

When he had concluded Count Witte closed the debate in a few words, rather apologizing for his seeming indifference and thanking M. Kokovsoff for his support, adding:

"I also might have made a better defense had I been as much interested in the future as Alexander Nicholotevitch," meaning M. Kokovsoff. Russians even on formal occasions referring to persons by their Christians names.

Count Witte is said to have experienced a rather alarming attack of heart trouble a few days ago. His physician advised him some time ago to give up work. It is known that Count Witte, believing that he had weathered the political storm, formed a determination to relinquish the premiership upon the meeting of the the national assembly.

DEADLY DUEL WITH KNIVES FOUGHT ON RAFT IN RIVER

Two Men Battle for Nearly an Hour in Sight of Many People—One Fatally Cut.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

RICHMOND, KY., March 19.—On a raft anchored in the middle of the Kentucky river, near Valley View, and within plain sight of scores of people, Wingfield Crowe of High Bridge, and Nelson Horne of this place, fought with knives for 50 minutes today in a vain effort to stab each other to death.

Near the end of the fight Horne either dropped his knife or deliberately threw it away, secured a strangle hold on Crowe, chocked him into unconsciousness, and then securing a pistol from his coat, sent three pistol shots into his enemy's body, inflicting fatal wounds.

The encounter was one of the most sanguinary that ever occurred in this part of the state. The men quarreled over the distribution of the proceeds of the raft and went at each other like tigers.

CHEAP RING LEADS TO MURDER

Young Philadelphia Boy Accused of Killing His Chum During a Quarrel.

PHILADELPHIA, March 19.—(Special.)—During a quarrel over a cheap brass ring worth only a few cents, William Johnson, aged 14 years, shot and killed Herbert McArthur, aged 16 years. Both boys were employed in the Wallace hosiery mill and had been chums for many years.

Johnson tried to sell his ring to McArthur to obtain money with which to go to the theater. McArthur took the ring to examine it, and when he refused to return it Johnson pulled out a small revolver and shot him over the heart. After his arrest Johnson declared that he did not know the revolver was loaded.

LOST BOY'S CORPSE FOUND IN TUB OF BLUING WATER

NEW YORK, March 19.—(Special.)—Left alone in the kitchen of his parents' home in East One Hundred and Fiftieth street for a few moments this afternoon, Maurice Nagel, 2 years of age, fell into a tub of bluing and was drowned. The body was not found for an hour by the child's mother, who had searched the house and notified the police.

Fire Causes Loss of $3,000,000.

FLORENCE, COLO., March 19.—The Dorcas custom ore mill, situated half a mile north of Florence, was destroyed by fire this afternoon, causing a loss of $3,000,000. The mill was owned by the Dorcas Mining, Milling and Development Company.

YOUNG PHYSICIAN ANSWERING CALL GOES TO HIS END

Dr. J. H. Gibson and an Unknown Foreigner Hurled to Death on the Ft. Wayne.

Dr. J. H. Gibson of Fair Oaks, and an unknown foreigner who was supposed to be taking him to the home of a sick relative or friend, were struck by a train on the Ft. Wayne road between Fair Oaks and Leetsdale at 10:10 o'clock last night and instantly killed.

The dead body of Dr. Gibson was found beside the tracks by the crew of an eastbound passenger train, and identified by papers and letters in his pocket. One hour later the body of the dead foreigner was found a considerable distance away. Both bodies were removed to the morgue.

Dr. Gibson was 29 years old and a prominent Elk, being secretary and treasurer of the Ambridge lodge of Elks.

PHONOGRAPH IS WORSE.

Husband's Affection for Star Boarder Was Not as Objectionable as Machine Music.

TRENTON, N. J., March 19.—(Special.)—Mrs. Moses Hollum of South Eleventh street, Newark, has filed in the court of chancery a petition praying that her husband be compelled to support her. She claims he had abused and neglected her since 1898, when he fell in love with their star boarder, Miss Nellie Schertel.

Mrs. Hollum drove the boarder out of the house, and her husband retaliated, he says, by refusing to longer provide for her. She says he also annoyed her by placing a phonograph at her bedroom door and playing all night such airs as "Nellie, Nellie," and "I've got money in my clothes."

HAMILTON SPRINGS RECEIPT FROM BLISS FOR $75,000

NEW YORK, March 19.—(Special.)—Judge Hamilton today exhibited a receipt for $75,000 signed by Cornelius N. Bliss, chairman of the Republican National committee, for amounts paid to him on October 1 and 20, 1896, by Hamilton for the New York Life Insurance Company. Hamilton says this proves the truth of his recent statement that he paid this amount to Bliss which was denied by the latter. Mr. Bliss tonight repeated this denial and refused to look at a photographic copy of the receipt submitted to him.

FIGHT IN DYING COUNCILS OVER $3,000,000 FRANCHISE

DESPERATE TO KILL REPEALER

Duquesne Light Company Prevents Passage of Ordinance in Select.

MEMBERS SENT AWAY

East End Trolley Bill Is Officially Declared Dead by Bigelow and Callery.

AGENTS BREAK UP A QUORUM

The East End trolley franchise has been officially declared dead, but the Duquesne Light Company repealer has risen to occupy the attention of the expiring city councils. President J. D. Callery of the Pittsburgh Railways Company and Director Bigelow united yesterday to sound the death knell of the trolley bill.

A few hours afterward the attention of the city fathers was engaged with the ordinance to annul the franchise of the Duquesne Light Company, which is said to be on the market as-barter for $300,000,000. That is the price Director Bigelow says was asked of the Anhauser-Busch Company of St. Louis.

When Director Bigelow announced that the East End trolley bill was dead he notified his followers in select council it was not necessary for them to attend the meeting of select council last night, called for the express purpose of passing the bill. This kept many members away. The opponents of the trolley ordinance were out in force and would have secured a quorum but for the timely intervention of the agents of the Duquesne Light Company. They feared the passage of the repealer if a meeting was held, and the failure to get a quorum was due to their active efforts in sending members away.

Demonstration Was Abandoned.

The thousand or more citizens who threatened to storm city hall and make a demonstration against the trolley franchise did not materialize. Many were kept away by the announcement early in the day that President Callery and Director Bigelow had abandoned the trolley fight. The inclement weather was also a factor in reducing the number of spectators.

The crowd that assembled at city hall to protest against the passage of the ordinance of the Duquesne Street Railway Company did not exceed 100 persons. The bulk of the lobby was composed of East Enders and members of the Pittsburgh board of trade, with representatives from the chamber of commerce, the Oakland board of trade and the Sixth Ward Civic association. The representation of the chamber of commerce comprised members of the municipal affairs committee of that organization. W. L. Jones, Col. A. J. Logan and H. D. W. English were prominent members of the committee present.

Splane Active Among Councilmen.

Among the active spectators were Robert C. Hall and J. G. Splane, who are deeply interested in the fate of the Duquesne Light Company repealer. Director James W. Clark was also present to lend them a helping hand. Mr. Splane is a former councilman and knows all the tricks of quorum-getting and quorum-breaking. He made his presence felt. The lobby was not demonstrative.

Shortly after 8 o'clock President Wightman called select council to order. Sixteen members answered the roll call, four short of a quorum. Outside of the council chamber at that moment were four other members—Dr. W. H. McKelvy, John Casserly, P. F. Toole and L. P. Schneider.

The following 16 members answered roll call: Barry, Burns, Cavett, Costello, Frederick, Hawkins, Howarth, Lang, William McKelvey, Schempp, Schiernitzauer, Sweeney, West, Stewart, Kenna and President Wightman.

President Wightman announced no quorum present. P. J. Barry moved that the clerk and the sergeants-at-arms be sent after members in the corridors. The clerk passed Dr. W. H. McKelvey in the city clerk's office and proceeded downstairs. Councilmen Toole, Schneider and Casserly were downstairs. J. G. Splane, president of the Pittsburgh & Allegheny Telephone company, which is identified with the Duquesne Light company, engaged the councilmen in the lobby in earnest conversation and they quickly disappeared.

Members Not Criminals.

The clerk and the seargean-at-arms returned to the council chamber and reported they were unable to find any members. Mr. Barry moved that a recess of 10 minutes be taken. President Wightman, who wished to force the issue on the trolley ordinance, supplemented the motion by stating that the seargeant-at-arms should not permit any of the members present to leave the room. Mr. Frederick objected.

"We are not criminals," he said, "and ought to be allowed to go and come as we please."

President Wightman was overruled by the members and a recess of 10 minutes was taken. During the recess Messrs. Hawkins and Lang left the city hall and Dr. McKelvey, finding that his presence would not make a quorum, walked into the council chamber. The second roll call disclosed 15 members present, a loss of one. S. G. Leennox turned up unexpectedly just after the meeting had adjourned.

A regular meeting of both branches of councils is scheduled for next Monday and if there is a quorum of the upper branch the Duquesne Light company repealer will come up. A strong sentiment in favor of the repealer exists among the councilmen, but the company is anxious to prevent any action until April, when it hopes to see the repealer die with the present councils.

Some doubt exists as to whether the passage of the repealer would be a legal nullification of the franchise of the Duquesne Light company at this time, but the advocates of the repealer claim that while its legality might be doubted, it would have the effect of destroying the market value of the franchise if offered for sale. They argue that no person or company would buy the franchise with its legality in doubt.

President Callery of the Pittsburgh Railways Company sent to President Wightman of select council yesterday morning a letter requesting that the ordinance for the proposed extension to Highland park be postponed, stating that the ordinance had been presented at the request of Director Bigelow, who desired to make the eastern side of Highland park more accessible to those of the public not fortunate enough to own carriages or automobiles.

President Callery said it was doubtful whether the extension would be profitable, at least during the winter months, yet the company had been willing to make the experiment. Mr. Callery said the company was not anxious to build the road at present if the public did not want it and took a shot at the opposition by stating that the ordinance is fought by those who would not use the road, and would not suffer inconveniences if the road was not constructed.

Callery Declares Fight Off.

President Callery talked with Controller Larkin yesterday morning and after Mr. Callery had gone the controller said he had been authorized to state that the fight for the trolley franchise had been abandoned. The controller said that if an attempt had been made to put the ordinance through select council last night Dr. W. H. McKelvy would have made a motion to adjourn until April 2.

Director Bigelow received from President Callery a copy of the letter that Mr. Callery sent to President Wightman asking postponement of action on the ordinance. The director immediaately asked it be published that he desired his friends in councils to postpone action on the franchise.

"There are always objections to any new street car line," said Mr. Bigelow. "Most of the lines now occupying the principal streets of the East End were laid in the face of the strongest opposition. The street car company was taken into court on the Negley avenue line and had a bitter contest. I venture to say that at least 500 houses, costing each $12,000 or more, have been built on that line since the tracks were laid. The same may be said of Penn avenue east of Point Breeze, and in fact every prominent thoroughfare in the East End. The fact is that every prominent street in the East End has a car line on it."

After the failure of select council to obtain a quorum last night the members of the Pittsburgh board of trade, lacking a quorum, met in the controller's office at city hall and voted to adjourn to meet tonight at the board of trade headquarters in Shady avenue, East End.

FIRE ENDANGERS LIVES OF 150 PUPILS IN A SCHOOL

Children Have Their Hair Burned and a Student and Teacher Are Hurt in Jumping from the Windows—Firemen Rescue Girls.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

HAVERHILL, MASS., March 19.—Fire in the Harverhill Manual Training school and High school annex imperiled more than 150 boys and girls and, although mainly because of the coolness and generalship of the teachers no lives were lost, several pupils had their hair burned and one girl injured her leg by jumping from a second-story window. Instructor John Bourne, intent upon the escape of the children, after they were all out, found his own exit cut off, and he was compelled to jump from a second-floor window of the training school. He was burned about the head and hands.

The training school was a three-story frame and was formerly used as a factory. Almost immediately after the fire was discovered the flames had leaped through the three stories and were bursting from the windows. The two-story High school annex was connected with the training school by a wooden passage, which was almost the only avenue of exit for 12 boys, who were in the training department. Headed by teacher Bourne, they made a dash from the second floor of the school house and, rushing through the flames and smoking passageway, eventually reached the open air in safety. Bourne then returned to the annex to be certain that all had escaped, and it was then he was forced to jump in order to save his life.

In the High school building the 130 boys and girls were in four rooms. The fire seemed to come upon that building from all directions at the same time, but the teachers quickly formed the pupils into fire-drill lines and ordered the march out. Those on the first floor easily filed down the short stairway leading to the street, but for those in the upper floor the situation was one of peril. Some confusion was caused when a few of the boys and girls tried to secure their hats and coats before making for the stairway.

As a result of this seven girls were cut off from the others and, losing their way in the dense smoke, were obliged to run to the front of the building and take refuge on a small balcony overlooking the street. By this time several fire companies were upon the scene, but before they had raised their ladders Stella Sargent jumped to the ground. She was removed to a hospital with her leg severely injured. The other girls were taken down by the firemen.

The fire started in a blacksmith shop on the ground floor of the training school building. The loss to the city is estimated at $25,000. Two dwelling houses near the school were scorched, but were not badly damaged.

BITUMINOUS CONFERENCE WILL BE HELD TODAY

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cipals should vote on all question in which the Pittsburgh field is interested. The meeting named the following committee:

F. L. Robbins, George W. Schluederberg and W. W. Keefer of the Pittsburgh Coal Company and George A Magoon as principals; J. T. M. Stonerode of the Carnegie Coal Company, J. S. Patterson of the Youghlogheny and Ohio Coal Company, being the F. M. Osborne interest; Walter Coulson of the United Coal Company and Capt. George W. Thomas of the Jutte Coal Company.

In a previous meeting of the independent operators of Pittsburgh it developed that these interests represent a production of 11,000,000 tons a year, against 18,000,000 of the Pittsburgh Coal Company, and it was determined to request Mr. Robbins to admit proper representation of these interests.

At the subsequent conference of the operators of the four states this afternoon a motion was made by Jerome B. Zerbe of Cleveland that a committee be sent to the miners to ascertain if they were ready to enter a conference.

There was talk of the necessity of having the Ryan resolution rescinded, but it ended with the general understanding that this issue could be met later if necessary and that the Ryan resolution is now practically ineffective. President Hammond of the Deering Coal Company of Illinois succinctly told of the advantages under which that state is working, conveying clearly that the operators must be relieved from the evil of the shot-firer law, which adds to the state's handicap in working under the mine run system.

Having three votes the Pittsburgh Coal Company can thereby block any general issue, while in the other states a single interest with only one vote will not stand in the way. This is only a slight modification of the unit rule, but is in a sense a victory for the Pittsburgh Coal Company.

In several caucuses of operators moves were made in line of antagonism to the check-off system. At a conference of the Ohio operators which opened the day's business this morning it developed that the check-off in Ohio feeds the organization funds to the extent of over that in the event of trouble a fight would be made to wipe out this instrument of the miners which is the mainstay of the organization. It was stated $900,000 annually. At this meeting President John H. Winder of the Sunday Creek Company, Columbus, presided. The meeting resolved to adhere to the unit rule in the conference, this being voted against by the representatives of the Hocking Valley interests, controlled by the Pittsburgh Coal Company.

When the general conference of the operators opened this morning Mr. Robbins, in the chair, declared that he had been misrepresented publicly, that he had made no promises to any one for concessions nor had he any understanding with any one; that in face of the importance of the issues and the extent of the interests he represents he desired to be relieved of the chairmanship to work on the floor. Mr. Winder was nominated by Frank S. Peabody of Chicago as a man who had publicly and privately expressed himself against any advance. Mr. Winder's election was met with demonstrative approval. He thanking Mr. Robbins for the service the Pittsburgh man had previously rendered. Mr. Robbins moved that a scale committee be selected without any preliminaries. He lacked a second to his motion and Horace L. Chapman representing the Ohio operators who desired a set of rules involving the unit rule, moved and secured the appointment of such a committee.

At a turbulent caucus of the Ohio miners' delegates this afternoon State President William H. Haskins was deposed as chairman and a member of the scale committee and national vice president. Thomas L. Lewis was unanimously elected in his stead. This astonishing action is directly the result of the favoritism shown by President Mitchell to Haskins in the recent secret conferences with Robbins and others on the scale situation. Haskins lacked the discretion to take his own delegation into his confidence and his constituents concluded that the most fitting way to discipline him and show their disapproval of Mitchell's autocratic and one-man manipulation of his organization was to cast this new-found favorite overboard. This reproof so enraged Haskins that he immediately filed his resignation as President of the Ohio miners and a member of the miners organization.

CHARGE FINANCIERS WITH FRAUD

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claim the right to hold all the remainder of the estate as indemnity against loss on an alleged contract of guaranty made by Jutte with them.

The plaintiffs further charge that shortly prior to November 1, 1901, and until his death by suicide, Jutte was mentally incapacitated from transacting any business, and that when he killed himself was a nervous and physical wreck. It is alleged that Hoffstot and Friend, although knowing these facts and being friends of the family, claim they entered into certain business transactions, whereby they became the owners of the greater portion of Jutte's property and have the right to hold the remainder to protect them against a guaranty which they claim to have given to Blair & Co. for a loan of certain money upon the bonds and stock of C. Jutte & Co., the amount of said alleged guaranty being $960,000. The bill then recites:

Enormous Commissions Charged.

But notwithstanding the fact that these alleged transactions involve millions of dollars in securities and the payment of large sums of money, when asked to produce and exhibit contracts and agreements evidencing the said transactions, Hoffstat and Friend, after repeated demands, have only produced and exhibited copies of alleged letters written to them by Jutte, some of which comprise several sheets unsigned, and all of which are incomplete, indefinite and lacking in detail, and some of which are inconsistent with the others; but these copies purport to give Hoffstat and Friend large sums in cash and hundreds of thousands of dollars in securities and commissions, and compensation for loans of insignificant amount when compared with the character of the collateral and commissions. In one case the defendants claiming they received over $500,000 of securities of that value, and over $1,000,000 of securities of prospective value, besides a large commission in cash, for loaning $300,000 on ample collateral for a period of one year, at 6 per cent interest.

The plaintiffs state that they only secured their information bit by bit, the defendants refusing to make a full disclosure or to exhibit the original of the letters; that the defendants compelled Jutte to empower his attorney-in-fact, a party designated by them and who was paid by C. Jutte & Co., a corporation which defendants controlled, and who consequently became their appointee and acted with them; and "therefore charge and aver that Hoffstot and Friend conspired to obtain possession and control of the entire property and assets of Jutte, and having thus obtained the possession of such property, securities and assets, proceeded in pursuance of such conspiracy, by divers and sundry methods, to secure for themselves and appropriate to their own use all of said property and to cheat and defraud said Jutte out of the same; and that said defendants now hold in their possession almost all of the property of Jutte and are making claim to the remainder which is not in their possession, and in pursuance of said conspiracy, and said unlawful intent and procedure, they are now threatening by divers proceedings to enforce their claim thereto."

Allege Extortion and Usury.

The plaintiffs allege that many of the transactions, even if they could be proved, should be set aside and annulled as being unconscionable, extortionate and usurious and contrary to equity and good morals. They state that the defendants alleged and pretended:

That on November 5, 1901, an arrangement was made whereby Hoffstat and Friend agreed to loan Jutte $200,000 at 6 per cent interest for one year, he to pay them in addition to interest, a commission in cash of 6 per cent, and under this contract and as security therefor, he delivered to them $150,000 of the stock of the Peoples Coal Company, $108,000 of the bonds of the East Liverpool Bridge Company, $120,000 of the stock of the Monongahela and Western Dredging Company, $306,000 first mortgage bonds of C. Jutte & Co., $327,000 preferred stock of C. Jutte & Co., and $2,573,000 in common stock of C. Jutte & Co.

It was three weeks after this arrangement, plaintiffs allege, when Jutte tried to shoot himself and, "while suffering from the wound, and while wholly incapacitated from business, said F. N. Hoffstot, went to his bedside and compelled said Jutte to execute a power of attorney in pursuance of the above arrangement, appointing A. S. Guffy."

It is claimed that Jutte, being unable to deliver more than $52,000 of the bonds of the East Liverpool Bridge Company, gave to the defendants in lieu thereof, a deed for his property in Moorwood avenue, as additional security. The bill then recites:

Jutte Tied Up Tight.

That on January 28, 1902, another arrangement was made whereby the defendants were to advance $88,760 in cash, which was to be used with $50,000 of the preferred stock of C. Jutte & Co., which was in the hands of Jutte, for the purchase of the business of Jung & Sons at New Orleans, the defendants to have as security for said advances the entire capital stock of Jung & Sons, $50,000 of the bonds of C. Jutte & Co., $50,000 of the preferred stock of C. Jutte & Co., and $200,000 of the common stock of C. Jutte & Co., the loan to be for six months, and after the repayment of said loan the security used as collateral therefor, excepting the capital stock of Jung & Sons, was to be divided, one-half to Hoffstot and Friend, and the other half to Jutte, and in addition defendants were to be paid commissions, expenses, etc. Complainants aver that subsequently the loan was repaid and that for this $88,760 loan Hoffstot and Friend received over $74,000 in cash, besides the securities aforesaid.

That on March 27, 1902, yet another arrangement was made whereby it was agreed that after all the debts of Jutte should be paid, and his house on Moorwood avenue should be clear, that any property or assets of Jutte that should be left over, should be equally divided between Jutte and Hoffstot and Friend; that is, Jutte should have one-half, and Hoffstot and Friend the other half as compensation for services in behalf of Jutte.

That on May 12, 1902, still another and last arrangement was made whereby it was agreed to increase the first mortgage on C. Jutte & Co., from $1,000,000 to $1,600,000, Jutte to exchange his $750,000 of bonds for a like amount of the new issue (the former issue being $1,000,000), said Hoffstat and Friend to likewise exchange their $200,000 of bonds which they had obtained as commission through these various transactions with Jutte, the other $50,000 being set aside to protect the claim of one Forsythe. The other $800,000 bonds were to remain in the treasury. Hoffstot and Friend agreed to buy Jutte's $750,000 at 90 cents on the dollar and with the proceeds to pay themselves the indebtedness of Jutte to them, and to apply the balance to paying off other liabilities of Jutte, said Jutte agreeing as quickly as possible to divide with Hoffstot and Friend all his securities, according to previous arrangement.

Valuable Securities in Dispute.

At the same time it was agreed that the $200,000 of bonds of Hoffstot and Friend, and the $960,000 of the treasury bonds, should be sold at par to Blair & Co. of New York, Blair & Co. to receive from C. Jutte & Co. as a bonus $80,000 of preferred stock. Hoffstot and Friend to guarantee Blair & Co. within three years, a price of $1,100 each for the bonds, and $80,000 for the stock; W. C. Jutte, however, to pledge all of his real and personal estate which he then owned, or which he might afterwards acquire, including his property in Moorwood avenue, to Hoffstot and Friend, as a guarantee to hold them harmless and free from loss under their guaranty to Blair & Co.

The plaintiffs now claim that the defendants threaten to enforce this alleged agreement, although according to their own claim they have been paid every dollar of Jutte's alleged indebtedness to them, which never at any time exceeded $808,700.

For this alleged loan they not only took 6 per cent interest, but also took as commissions about $250,000 in cash, and now claim securities valued at between $500,000 and $1,000,000, perhaps more.

This guarantee, it is claimed, was entirely for the benefit of the defendants. The plaintiffs further claim that Jutte was over-reached and defrauded in other transactions with the defendants, and that large sums were extorted from him and valuable property secured. It is alleged that Hoffstot and Friend forced him to sell them 5,000 shares of the Pittsburgh & Castle Shannon Railroad Company, he having pledged it with them for a loan of $40,000, for $12 a share, they knowing it to be worth $25, and afterward selling it at a profit of $56,000. The plaintiffs say there are other transactions between Jutte and Hoffstot and Friend by which Jutte was defrauded, but they are unable to set them forth because Jutte, being non compos mentis, and under the dominion and control of the defendants, kept no account, did not preserve his papers, and relied exclusively upon defendants and upon his attorney-in-fact whom they had appointed.

An Accounting Is Wanted.

It is further alleged that the defendants withhold all information and threaten to sell any or all of the securities of Jutte to make good any loss of the Blair & Co. guaranty. The court is asked to declare Hoffstot and Friend trustees for the Jutte estate and for his widow and children, and to hold them to strict account for all his property; that all transactions be set aside and cancelled, and that they be compelled to discover and disclose all property turned over to them by Jutte.

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Shanghai—Appalachee, San Francisco via Honolulu.

Rotterdam—Rotterdam, New York via Boulogne.

Naples—Canopic, Alexandria for Boston.

Pera, Turkey—Moltke, New York, etc., for Piraeus, etc., on cruise.

Marseilles—Algeria, New York for Naples and Leghorn.

St. Vincent, C. V.—Neko, Seattle, San Francisco, etc., via Montevideo for Hamburg.

Sailed, March 19.

Palermo—Pannonia, New York; Perugia, New York.

Liverpool—Corean, St. Johns, N. F., Halifax and Philadelphia.

Boulogne—Ryndam, New York; Graf Waldersee, New York.

Passed, March 19.

Browhead—Minneapolis, New York for London.

Gibraltar—Prinz Oskar, New York for Naples and Genoa.

Sable Island, N. S.—Statendam, Rotterdam and Boulogne for New York.

Sable Island, N. S.—Kaiser Wilhelm II., Bremen, Southampton and Cherbourg for New York.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

NIXON—Maxine Elliott in "Her Great Match," 8:15 p. m.

BELASCO—Arnold Daly's company in "You Never Can Tell," 8:15 p. m.

ALVIN—Blake O'Hara as "Mr. Blarney from Ireland," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

GRAND—Continuous vaudeville bill of 15 acts, headed by Salerno, 1:30 to 10:45 p. m.

BIJOU—"East Life in New York," 8 p. m.

WILLIAMS' ACADEMY—The Jolly Girls' Extravaganza, 2 and 8 p. m.

GAYETY—Weber and Rush's Parisian Widows, burlesque and vaudeville, 2 and 8 p. m.

EMPIRE—"How Baxter Butted In," 8:15 p. m.

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TWELVE WENT TO DEATH

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was stalled in snow drifts east of Decatur this evening. The train was snow bound for several hours and farmers carried food to the passengers. All trains are delayed.

MEAN DISPOSITION IS SHOWN BY MARCH LION

For real March meanness, yesterday was the "worst ever." The Lion showed his teeth, glared, growled and spit out snow and sleet, hail and rain, and then shuffled the deck and began all over again. It was not only mean, it was miserable and measly, and depressing. With the shifting conditions overhead was the continued and steady discomfort of slush and mud underfoot. Pedestrians who had to brave the leonine wrath did so under protest. They became wet, chilled and bedraggled, and lost their tempers over the general cussedness of the situation.

But the weather man, who disclaims all responsibility for the wretchedness of the atmospheric conditions, promises something a little more acceptable for today. Local Forecaster Frank Ridgway looked over things last night and considered it likely that snow and continued cold will prevail. He says it will not be long now until the break comes and milder temperature will make us forget that we had to put up with the discomforts of sleet and slush.

He is also authority for the statement that there is little or no danger of a flood. "The rivers are behaving themselves finely," he remarked, "and unless a lot more rain comes no inundation will result. The colder weather tonight and that booked for today will check any rise." The official register showed a rainfall of .63 between 8 a. m. yesterday and 9 p. m.

The coldest place in the country yesterday was Devil's Lake, N. D., where the thermometer was 5 degrees above. Yesterday's local record ranged from 30 at 3 o'clock in the morning to 41 at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. By 8 o'clock it had dropped to 35 and between 20 and 25 is predicted for this morning. The cold is not expected to reach an immoderate stage today and there is even some probability of a little warmth creeping in.

SNOWSTORM ENGULFS MANY SECTIONS OF STATE

Traffic, Telephone and Telegraph Wires Are Interfered With—Trains Run Late on All Roads.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

PHILADELPHIA, March 19.—One of the heaviest snow storms of the winter prevailed in eastern Pennsylvania today, a fall of nearly a foot being reported from several parts of the state. Travel on steam roads and electric railways was more or less hampered during the day owing to the snow having drifted, but by nightfall transportation conditions were much improved. About four inches of snow fell in this city, after which a heavy rain set in, turning the snow into slush ankle deep. Late tonight the rain continued.

CLEVELAND, O.—What is expected to prove the heaviest snow storm of the season began here shortly before daylight today. Reports from numerous points indicate that the storm is general throughout the state, and from six to nine inches of snow have fallen in some places. In this city it has been falling at the rate of an inch an hour. Traffic has not been interfered with so far, but it is feared that some lines may be tied up before this night is over.

MARION, O.—A snow storm raging here since Sunday has blocked street car traffic, played havoc with the schedules of all trains and caused the dismissal of all the schools at noon because of the pupils' inability to reach them through the great snow which covered everything to a depth of two feet.

JOHNSTOWN—Snow has been falling here steadily all day, accompanied by a high wind which turned the snow into sleet and hail. It has been one of the worst days of the winter.

YOUNGSTOWN, O.—The fiercest storm the city has known since April 29, 1901, started this morning, and has been raging since. The street railway lines are all crippled. All trains into the city are late.

HARRISBURG—The second heaviest snow storm of the season prevailed here today, when a seven-inch fall was registered. Telegraph and telephone service is impaired, and trains on all railroads are running behind schedule time.

CORRY—The worst blizzard of the winter is raging in northwestern Pennsylvania, and since early this morning snow has been falling without let-up. Indications are that it will continue throughout the night. Traffic has not been interfered with as yet.

TRIPLE LOCKS POSSIBLE.

Chief Engineer Stevens Contradicts Witnesses Who Testified on Panama Canal Topography.

WASHINGTON, March 19.—The Isthmian canal commission cabled Chief Engineer Stevens Saturday the substance of the testimony of Prof. William H. Burr and William Barclay Parsons, that the hill at Gatun was not long enough to accommodate three locks of the length proposed in the report of the minority of the board of consulting engineers.

Mr. Stevens replied today: "I have just made careful personal examination of the exact site of the Gatun dam. There is ample length, with perfect foundations for longer locks than reported by the minority of the board of consulting engineers. Contradict Burr and Parsons on my authority, and say that if nature had intended triple locks there she could not have arranged matters better."

CHAIRMAN BABCOCK QUITS.

Wisconsin Representative Will Not Again Serve at Head of Republican Congressional Committee.

WASHINGTON, March 19.—Representative Babcock of Wisconsin again made it clear to Republican leaders that he will not serve in another campaign as chairman of the congressional committee. Mr. Babcock said today:

"My health will not permit me to undertake the committee work in another campaign. I have made up my mind finally."

Representatives Sherman of New York and Tawney of Minnesota are freely discussed as probable successors to Mr. Babcock.

SPINAL MENINGITIS CLAIMS COUPLE MORE VICTIMS

Two more fatal cases of cerebro-spinal meningitis were reported to the McKeesport board of health yesterday, making four cases within three weeks. The latest cases are John M. Farrell, aged 16, of Liberty avenue, and Ottis Fromm, aged 9, son of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Fromm of Cronemeyer avenue. Young Farrell became ill last Tuesday just after eating a hearty meal. He became unconscious and was carried to his room, and never regained consciousness.

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MAIL SACK CAUSES FATAL TRAIN WRECK

One Man Is Killed and Four Members of One Family Are Among the Injured.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

BURLINGTON, IA., March 19.—An eastbound passenger train on the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad was partly wrecked at Lockbridge, Ia., this afternoon by a broken switch. The dining car and a sleeping car broke away from the rest of the train and dashed into the rear end of a work train standing on a sidetrack, demolishing the side-tracked passenger cars and a car occupied by a number of workmen. Swan Bloom of Burlington, cook of the work train, was killed, and a dozen persons were injured, four probably fatally.

A mail sack, when thrown out of a forward car of the passenger train, struck a switch post, breaking it and releasing the switch, thus side-tracking the last two cars of the passenger train.

The probably fatally injured are: John Peterson, laborer; Ernest Patit, boy, Seattle, Wash.; Charles Ellerhoff, laborer; Rudolph Frick, engineer of the work train. Others severely injured are: Mrs. Frank Patit, Seattle, Wash.; Francis Patit, 4 years of age; N. P. Johnson, Kansas City; J. G. Newlark, Creston, Ia.; Mrs. J. G. Newlark and R. H. Graves, Aurora, Ill.

FIRE IN EAST RIVER TUNNEL.

Negro Watchman Meets Death in Big P. R. R. Tube—Employe Risks Life to Save Property.

NEW YORK, March 19.—Fire in the Pennsylvania railroad tunnel under the East river caused the death of a negro watchman early today. The blaze broke out among several hundred bags of hay and sawdust and filled a section of the tube with suffocating smoke. Firemen could not fight the flames, as it was impossible to carry hose to the scene of the fire without shutting off the compressed air pressure at the air locks.

George Barr, a tunnel employe, carried several boxes of dynamite from the tunnel and became unconscious after reaching the surface. After five hours the fire was extinguished.

Dog Bite Claims Third Victim.

OWINGSVILLE, KY., March 19.—(Special.)—George Wells, aged 14, died here today in convulsions from hydrophobia which developed last night. Wells' growls and cries were heard 50 feet away. Several persons were bitten by the same dog, and Wells is the third to die of hydrophobia from the wound received.

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The Toronto News of December 13, 1905, says:

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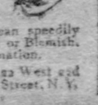
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ONLY ONE DOOR FOR "WHITE DOG"

Judge McClung Will Not Consider Oliver Avenue Entrance for Bank Restaurant.

NOTICE OF TRANSFER GIVEN

One hundred cases completed was the first day's record in the license court, which opened yesterday morning. Judge McClung was alone on the bench, the first time this has occurred since the famous session when Judge White registered his anti-saloon tendencies by granting less than 100 licenses in the county. The court expects to finish the Eleventh ward today, which will complete 150 cases, against which there are few serious remonstrances. The rules of last year are to be strictly enforced, and the court did not hurry the examinations. Attorney Paul S. Ache is acting as attorney for the Anti-Saloon league, and has three detectives as his witnesses. He has evidence in every case where he has filed a remonstrance except one, and Judge McClung said he would look into that.

Probably the most interesting case heard yesterday was that of Thomas K. Lysinger of the Farmers Deposit bank building. It was plainly stated from the bench that the application for an entrance in Oliver avenue must be withdrawn. The court said that he had no sympathy for back entrances to bars, and the "White Dog" will not be considered for a license for 512 Wood street unless this is eliminated. Lysinger was represented by Reed, Smith, Shaw & Beal, while J. R. Sterrett appeared for the remonstrants. Mr. Sterrett said the remonstrants did not object to their being a private entrance on Oliver avenue for help and supplies, and the court agreed to that proposition and held the case over for further consideration.

A. Crotsa, a Greek, applied for a license to run a house for his countrymen at 236 and 238 Third avenue. Constable Joyce and others thought such a place a necessity. It will be known as a Greek house if he gets permission to open.

George F. Baer, manager of the Union restaurant, is applying for a license to open a restaurant at 322 and 324 Diamond street, now occupied as a restaurant by William Stakeley. He is a new applicant and there is no remonstrance against him. His examination, however, was quite lengthy, the court asking information about the Union restaurant and the class of women who go there, under Baer's management, however, Judge McClung said he understood the restaurant had improved in the last two years.

When Nathan Schaffner, proprietor of the Hotel Griswold, Smithfield street and Third avenue, was called, no witnesses appeared against him, although a strong remonstrance had been filed against the place. The court asked Attorney Ache why such was the case. He said he did not know. "Well," said the court, "I'll hold the papers in this case, anyway."

William F. Hammel of 242 Diamond street, was represented by Frank I. Gosser. The attorney stated that Mr. Hammel will ask the court in event of his license being granted, to give a transfer to William H. McCarthy. The court said the usual rules would govern the case. McCarthy's application for a license at 606 Wood street was withdrawn. He will apply for the transfer but will have to wait until July, in the meantime being without a license.

STANDING ON ITS TOES LIKE A BALLET DANCER

London Makes Shocking Discovery That Diplodocus Carnegiei Is Posing in Very Ungraceful Position.

London is shocked!

The diplodocus Carnegiei is standing on its tip-toes!

This startling announcement of the indiscreet attitude of the replica diplodocus in the National History museum in South Kensington was cabled to this country yesterday, and the diplodocus market went off 10 points. The replica diplodocus now on exhibition in London was made here under direction of Dr. Hatcher, at the request of Andrew Carnegie, and cost $35,000. This is the first time that a Pittsburgh diplodocus has been criticized in a foreign market, and the new industry has received a severe setback.

Dr. J. W. Holland, who is one of the few scientists who has made a careful study of this extinct mammoth, declared last night that he had been misquoted in the afternoon papers on his impressions upon the London cable. Dr. Holland does not admit that the skeleton of the diplodocus in London has been mounted wrongly. He states that there is some question as to the position of the bones of the forefeet. He himself, in a paper which has been published, has called attention to this fact, and believes that his friend, Dr. Woodward of the British museum, has simply repeated Dr. Holland's criticism to the London press. Dr. Holland declares that the question at issue is merely whether the animal stood on the soles of its feet or the tips of its toes. In the opinion of Dr. Holland the whole controversy is based on a rather small detail, and the whole matter could be corrected by lowering the front support of the London skeleton two inches. It is believed that efforts will be made to give the diplodocus "good standing" and remove any impressions that this once living mammoth was a toe dancer.

Suspicious Fire at Sharpsburg.

Two men who were seen leaving the building shortly before the flames were discovered are supposed to have set fire to the mold room of Tibby Bros.' glass factory, Twenty-first and Main streets, Sharpsburg, at 11 o'clock last night. There is said to be some feeling against the firm, which is blamed for blocking improvements which the Pennsylvania Railroad Company planned. Detectives are investigating the fire, which was extinguished before any damage resulted.

MUCH TALK ABOUT SENATOR MAGEE

Many Republicans Favor Him as the Successor of City Chairman Leslie.

CUNNINGHAM FOR SENATOR

There was much talk in Republican circles yesterday about the successor of City Chairman Leslie. The man most frequently mentioned for the place is former Senator Magee. Some time ago he said he would not be a candidate. Whether he is still of the same opinion cannot be ascertained as he is out of the city.

It is probable that in the future the Republican headquarters will be kept open the year round, and the chairman will not be required to give so much time to the position as has been the case during the administration of Chairman Leslie. Campaigns in the future will undoubtedly be along new lines. This becomes imperative by recent legislation.

Two other men mentioned for the chairmanship promptly disposed of their candidacies. There was a report that A. C. Gumbert of the Twenty-first ward was a probable candidate. He says he has no destre to be driven insane and would not consider the position. Controller Booth of the Twenty-second ward is another who is spoken of, but declines to have his name used.

The Fortieth is a new senatorial district and will elect a senator this fall. There is talk of the probable candidacy of Robert J. Cunningham of Sewickley for the Republican nomination. Mr. Cunningham retired as county controller the first of the year. While he was identified with the Citizens party, he has always had a great many friends among the Republicans. His district consists of all the territory outside of Allegheny on the north side of the Allegheny river and the boroughs of East Pittsburgh, Turtle Creek, Wilmerding, Pitcairn, Wall and East McKeesport, and the townships of Plum, Patton, Wilkins and Braddock.

Former County Commissioner Murray will probably be appointed to a clerkship in the court house. He may be placed in the controller's office.

Representative Edlis announced yesterday he would not be a candidate for re-election. It is probable that two new members will be chosen in the district, as Representative Cook has announced his candidacy for district attorney.

The executive committee of the Civic party in the Thirty-eighth ward has adopted resolutions indorsing James W. Clark for director of the department of public works, Col. Frank I. Rutledge of the Eighteenth regiment for director of the department of safety and Thomas B. Werner for superintendent of police. The resolutions sent to Mayor-elect Guthrie are signed by Arthur S. Rodgers, chairman, Edward T. Edwards, secretary, and William Jones, delegate to the central committee. Col. Rutledge is making an active campaign for the safety directorship. Director Harry Moore is just as active to secure a reappointment. He is securing indorsements from a number of Citizens ward committees.

There is a good deal of discussion of the probability of Mayor-elect Guthrie appointing William J. Brennen city solicitor. The Democrats generally are insisting that he be given a prominent place in the new cabinet.

PAY GROWING TRIBUTE TO DR. WOODBURN'S LIFE

Allegheny Pastors Deliver Eulogistic Addresses at Memorial Service of Baptist Ministerial Association.

A memorial service for the late Rev. Dr. B. F. Woodburn, pastor of the Sandusky Street Baptist church, Allegheny, for 39 years, was the feature of the Baptist ministerial meeting yesterday morning. Glowing tributes to the life and character of the deceased clergyman were paid in addresses by the Revs. J. D. Hutson and J. S. Williams. "Posthumous Papers of An Optimist" was the subject of the paper of the day read by the Rev. A. J. Bonsall, who succeeded Dr. Woodburn as pastor of the Sandusky Street church.

The Rev. Dr. David H. Bauslin of Springfield, O., president of the general synod of the Lutheran church, was the speaker at the weekly meeting of the Lutheran pastors. His subject was "The Genesis of the New Measure Movement." The Rev. Dr. Edmund Belfour of the Memorial church followed with a paper along the same lines. Nine ministers of the general council Lutheran denomination were present by invitation.

The Rev. Dr. J. H. Snowden of Washington, Pa., addressed the Presbyterian preachers on "Current Tendencies in Theology and Religion." He was followed by the Rev. J. M. Freese of Utah, who told of conditions in his state due to Mormonism and the practice of polygamy. He will carry on a campaign here in the churches against the evil. A telegram was sent to Congressman S. W. Palmer requesting him to fight the amendment to the liquor law which proposes to allow the shipment of liquor into prohibition states.

The Rev. Persley Thompson of Washington, Pa., read a paper at the United Presbyterian meeting on the "Development on the Idea of the Kingdom of God." The Methodist Episcopal pastors listened to a paper on "The Present Status of Modern Biblical Criticism," by the Rev. J. W. Knowlson of Berea, O. The ultimate union of the Methodist Protestant, Congregational and United Brethren churches was discussed at the first union meeting held yesterday. Ministers from each of the three denominations were present and took part in a general discussion on the subject.

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Rolls and Coffee,
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Asparagus Tip Salad,
Pie or Ice Cream,
Rolls and Coffee,
50c.

Fried Spring Chicken with Cream Sauce,
Potatoes au Gratin,
Hot Waffles,
Bisque Pudding,
Coffee,
50c.

Roast Spring Lamb,
Mint Sauce,
Browned White Potatoes,
Green Peas,
Rolls and Coffee,
Pie or Ice Cream,
50c.

The efforts put forth to gather together an assemblage of new things to be sold for very marked underprices were prodigious. Our buyers never worked so unceasingly. It was a task, you may be sure, to go among manufacturers and endeavor to secure seasonable goods away below the marked price. This had to be done in order to make this sale an extraordinary one, and we think all who scanned our news yesterday afternoon, and who will scan it again this morning, will agree, taking into consideration the period of the year, that the prices are extraordinarily small. Take, for instance, the Balbriggan Underwear for men at 60c a garment, the Buster Brown Stockings at 15c a pair, the women's Kid Gloves at 75c a pair and so on.

The Leading Features Today.

All the good things that were published yesterday afternoon are not again referred to this morning, only the notable features of the occasion, and they are simply given for fear some one missed the general account of this first day's sale.

Men's French Balbriggan Undergarments, 60c Each.

They Are Summer Weight Cotton and Are Worth $1.00.

Regular $1.00 Undergarments which you will not want to wear until probably next May, and the price is 60c. Would you prefer paying 60c a garment now and laying your underwear on the shelf for some six weeks, or wait until May and pay $1.00 for each garment? You can choose shirts that have half sleeves or those that have long sleeves. Sizes of shirts, 34 to 46 inches; length of drawers from 38 to 42 inches.

Women's $1.50 and $2.00 Corsets, 55c.

An Astonishing Underprice for Excellent Corsets.

The first thing women will ask is about the size—18 to 30. The colors are white, drab and black. The material is first-class, the corsets are well boned and some have hose supporters.

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Buster Brown Stockings, All Black, 15c a pair

The Kind That Sell Regularly Everywhere for 25c.

These stockings are built especially for service. Girls wear them as well as boys. All the wear-out-quick parts are reinforced. We bought for this occasion 7,000 pairs. The stockings are aptly named, for every one is acquainted with the mischievous Buster and his dog Tige, and also with his little chum, Mary Jane.

New Ostrich Plumes, $2.75 and $4.50.

Worth at the Very Least One-Third More.

One of the offers from the Millinery Division for this three days' occasion. You will say, we think, that it is a flurry of the best sort when we tell you that these plumes are worth very much more than what we will charge. There are white plumes and black plumes and colored plumes, they have broad, wide flues, they have heavy heads, they are very glossy. 18 inches, $4.50; 16 inches, $2.75.

$25.00 Silk Shirtwaist Suits, $12.75.

An Admirable Offer From the Viewpoint of Spring.

Made of fine taffeta silk, black, navy, Alice blue and many other colors. V yoke, stock of Val. lace, front finished with tucks, stitched straps and buttons, short sleeves, seven-gore circular skirt, box pleats down center, finished with tucks, three small folds around bottom.

Women's $25.00 Spring Suits, $17.50.

A Clean Saving of $7.50 on Each Suit.

That sort of a saving is certainly worth clutching, and it's not on old models, but on the newest ideas in suits for the Spring of 1906. Light and dark gray plaid homespun, Eton jacket, front and back and sleeves finished with inlaid rows of small tucks, narrow vest assimilation of gray taffeta, finished with fancy braid, gored skirt, clusters of three side pleats.

Women's $10.00 Spring Coats, $7.50.

Choice of Two Colors, Black and Covert.

One model is 22 inches long, made tight-fitting, of black Venetian cloth, double strapped seams, notched collar, full tailored sleeves, turnover cuffs, lined with taffeta. The other is also a 22-inch coat, but is of tan covert, tight fitting, collarless, finished around neck with stitching and braid, fancy stitched straps down front and back.

A Novel Exhibit of Columbia Yarns.

In one of our Penn Avenue display windows we are making an exhibit of Columbia Yarns, showing the evolution of the yarn from the fleece of the sheep to the knitting needle. To follow this exhibit, in its different stages, is quite interesting. Along with the display are exhibited such articles as sweaters, jackets, afghans, boas, infants' wear, and other articles, all made of these yarns. We have complete assortments of Columbia Yarns in our Art Needlework Division of the third floor, West.

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Tuesday, March 20, 1906.

Pittsburgh has never seen more immigrants arriving than at the present time, never did so large a number of the arrivals stop here. A vast proportion of these immigrants obviously are of the undesirable type. By and by they will be asking for citizenship for which they are and will then be wholly unfitted. Yet congress has made no move to close the gates or to amend the naturalization laws. Congress is neglecting a manifest duty.

Allegheny is to have a first-class playhouse. This promise is made by a leader among the purveyors of amusement, one who has made a series of brilliant successes. The fact is but another indication of the impetus given the North Side by the impending prospect for consolidation with this city. It is based on the presumption the factitious opposition to that desirable project will fail. There is much of good in the Greater Pittsburgh.

Gen. Leonard Wood intimates the story of the killing of women and children in the battle of Dajo has been overdrawn by Manila correspondents. This is quite probable. Most people took it for granted American soldiers had not wantonly killed non-combatants. They never did during our Indian wars. In this connection it may be said the attack on President Roosevelt by the Rev. Charles Parkhurst was wholly unwarranted by any of the known facts.

Several names have been suggested for chairman of the Republican city committee since M. G. Leslie announced his purpose to retire. This indicates belief in an open field and a good natured contest will benefit the organization. Mr. Leslie deserves the rest he seeks for his seven campaigns have been strenuous. His successor should be a man who will inspire the confidence of the party workers and of that element that never takes any hand in "practical politics."

A difficult question for Gov. Hanly is presented by the application for a pardon for former Auditor Sherrick of Indiana, convicted of embezzling the state funds. There is something to be said in favor of the defaulting officer, as the amount he has been charged with misappropriating has been made good. This is such a rare thing in cases of this kind, justice may well be tempered with a quality of mercy without compromising the crime, or minimizing the punishment.

Development in South Africa is going on at such a pace it is reported bicycles are no longer in demand. The facilities for communication there have been so forwarded by train, electric car and motor 'bus that the old self-propelled "two wheeler" is not looked upon as a wonder in transit. However, this march of civilization also kills the local trade in 'rickshaws at Johannesburg and Durban. What is best is the thing the people want, whether it is government or conveniences.

Attorney General Hadley of Missouri is getting much better results from the orderly processes before his court than he obtained from his spectacular invasion of the "enemy's country" eastward. On order of the Missouri court the Standard Oil attorney has surrendered the books and papers of the defendant companies. The officers of these companies are answering questions affecting their business in Missouri with a readiness in significant contrast to the brusque refusal of H. H. Rogers to have the information drawn out of him by indirection.

It appears Gov. Dawson of West Virginia has come to the conclusion an extra session of the legislature of that state for the purpose of strengthening its railroad laws would not pay. Coming just before the campaign for the election of a new body of law makers it would entail a large expense, which would be taken advantage of by the Democratic partisans, enabling them to point to the alleged extravagance of the Republicans and thus endanger the future of the dominant party. That is the political end of it. But the practical part of Gov. Dawson's decision, to let the whole matter go to the people, and leave with them the election of a legislature that will be in tune with the popular chord in regard to rates and regulations is a most perspicuous determination. A year hence there may possibly, be no occasion to revert to the "glaring iniquities of the overbearing railroad corporations."

A Popular Victory.

In the matter of the Jackson street railway franchise the people have been victorious. There was no meeting of select council last night, a result indicated by the letter of President Callery of the railways company and by the admissions of Director Bigelow .

In this moment of triumph it is well to remember there has been nothing personal in this fight. It has simply been a contest on principle on the part of the public. The Pittsburgh Railways Company happened to be the victim because an uncompensated franchise was asked in its behalf. Any other corporation would have met precisely the same opposition under like circumstances. The principle involved was that so well stated by Alexander M. Jenkinson in his appeal to the people during the recent campaign. "I would not sign," said he, "any ordinance granting a franchise in perpetuity, or any franchise which did not provide for adequate compensation to the city."

This principle has now been effectively asserted. All parties in city politics are committed to it. The corporations should take notice. They will save themselves disappointment if they refrain from asking any privileges in violation of this popular sentiment. There must be no more gifts of the public resources.

Offensive and Unsanitary.

To the Editor of The Gazette:

Will you kindly let me know through your valuable paper why it is that while spitting in the cars of the Citizens traction lines of Pittsburgh and Allegheny is prohibited, the practice is largely indulged in? Of course the men do not spit on the floors of the cars, but what seems more disgusting, they spit down between the seat and the window. If spitting on the floor of the car is a menace to the health of the public, is it not more so when men spit where there is no way of cleaning it up? Trusting you will give this space, as I for one, consider it a very pertinent question.

Millvale, March 19. OBSERVER.

It is a pertinent question, but The Gazette cannot answer it. We do not know why such a disgusting and unsanitary practice is tolerated. It ought not to be. The men who indulge in it have not been properly educated. Many persons have vague ideas, only, of the movement to prohibit spitting in public conveyances and places of public resort. There are two good reasons: One sanitary, the other esthetic. The effusion of tobacco juice is offensive to good taste, though less menacing to the public health than the less frequent expectoration due to irritation of the mucous surfaces, or breaking down of tissues. Strong tobacco juice is fatal to many forms of bacteria. It is quite probable the menace to health from expectoration out of doors where the effluvia is exposed to action of the elements has been exaggerated. There has been no exaggeration—there hardly can be—of its offensiveness in places where other persons must wade through it. The practice complained of by the Millvale lady is both disgusting and highly unsanitary—spitting in a closed space—and it should be vigorously suppressed.

The Age Limit.

Almost daily the discussion of the old man in government departments is being enriched by new contributions. It does not all run one way. Some time ago the country laughed with the witty old clerk who suggested a reduction of salary for all members of congress who are past the age of 65. A graver note is sounded in the recommendation, frequently made, that young men should avoid the government service because once on the treadmill he cannot get away, but must go on to the state of superannuated inefficiency complained of by the promoters of the pending bill.

Among the suggestions made in congress to prevent superannuation, is one for a service limit of six years. Such a provision would nullify the best feature of the civil service law—promotion earned by experience and fitness. There was little complaint about old men in the departments under the spoils system, but far more of general inefficiency. The man over 65 is yet to be preferred to the young man without qualifications and without the inclination to do his work.

Age and length of service have something to do, in any case with regard to a man's worth. There is Assistant Secretary of State Adee, who has on numerous occasions acted as secretary of state. He is old, and quite deaf, yet there is no movement made in diplomacy until this faithful old servant of the government has been consulted. He is the walking encyclopedia of foreign affairs; what is not in books and pamphlets can be obtained from his vast store of knowledge and retentive memory. There are others like him in other departments, because they have virtually lived their whole lives in the service of the government. A few may be carried on the rolls who are not as competent, but their best years have been devoted to the government service.

It may be fair, as proposed, to reduce their compensation, but not on a horizontal line according to their years. Life in Washington, particularly in the departments, has never been conducive to the saving habit. Before congress undertakes to reduce the salaries of employes over 65 years of age it should inaugurate new standards of living, the members of congress, themselves, setting the wholesome example.

Coal Strike Imminent.

There is a distinctly pessimistic tone in all reports affecting the bituminous coal conventions. The retirement of Francis L. Robbins from leadership of the operators and the election of John H. Winder is interpreted to mean the operators favor a more uncompromising attitude and refusal of all concessions. In fact it is said they will propose a reduction of the mining rate instead of yielding an advance.

This condition of affairs shatters the hopes raised by the apparent willingness of the miners to rescind the Ryan resolution. That willingness on the part of the miners has not been pleasing to some of the operators and they are seeking a more solid organization on their side because the miners show a disposition to take what they can get. All of this tends toward the threatened strike, but if the miners adhere to the purpose to repeal the Ryan resolution the suspension of work may not be complete.

The change effected in the situation is deplorable. Though operators argue a two or three months strike will put the industry in healthier condition, we cannot see how it is to benefit other industries. The Gazette has at no time taken the optimistic view that a settlement would certainly be made before April. It is, therefore, not surprised to find the situation so serious, but it regrets as much as any one the developments that indicate the strike.

Reactionaries Winning.

Some disappointing reports are coming out of Russia concerning elections for the douma. Liberalists are remaining away from the polls, the police have been interfering, in some cases arresting liberal candidates to prevent their election, while the reactionaries are everywhere active. It is expected the douma will be a reactionary body.

This is not what the progressive world had hoped for. It will lessen the measure of reform in the Russian system—it may even provoke fresh outbursts of violence. Yet the douma marks a step away from the worst feature of autocracy, reactionary though it be in its membership. It has been given powers that will tend to check the arrogant excesses of the bureaucracy, at least. Little as may be expected from it during the first term, the succeeding elections should be more hopeful.

Obviously the Russian people have not been prepared for a large measure of liberty. Under the loose reign of a democracy they would go so close to anarchy as to cause a permanent reaction—a popular reaction. There is no fear of this sort of excess under a reactionary douma—no fear of a weakening in the popular longing for freedom. Such longing will incite effort, the preparation for self-government. The friends of liberty may well be saddened by the news from Russia, but not discouraged. It will be well for Russia to make haste slowly, though one could well wish for a more rapid stride forward than is indicated in the douma elections.

Discovery has been made in the British museum that its diplodocus Carnegiei rests too much weight on its claws. What's the difference? The plaster diplodocus doesn't needs its claws.

Recall of Bellamy Storer as ambassador to Austria may raise discussion at the tea table of Mr. and Mrs. Longworth, as he is related to the son-in-law of the President.

While Pittsburghers are interested in the postmastership, they are more concerned as to whether there is to be a new postoffice—and where.

A death in a city passenger depot yesterday morning afforded a most pathetic story that must have touched every human heart.

Despite all that is said about John D. Rockefeller's mental state it is likely as much a mystery as his whereabouts.

Controller Larkin has reviewed the subject of fines and forfeits on the ground the city needs the money.

Though the cold weather checked the flood in the rivers it has not lessened the flood of immigrants.

For the moment Andrew Hamilton is a heroic figure—by comparison with the "curs."

Calling Speaker Cannon "czar" makes him out as big a man as Thomas B. Reed.

Homer Castle has gone to Philadelphia to talk, because he is listened to there.

Those who want peace in the coal regions may have to fight for it.

Candidates for city chairman are blossoming, regardless of the snow.

President Robbins was too peaceable to suit the coal operators.

About the weather: It deserves to be characterized as snow joke.

While the weather is not enjoyable it may be best for us.

THE AXE.

I open up the forests, I am envoy of the plow,
As beneath my heavy strokes the hemlocks shake.
Far flung the survey reaches
'Neath the maples and the beeches,
And the long, slim railroads follow in my wake.
Through black forests where the sunlight never glimmers through the branches,
Where owl and fox, red deer and wolf and prowling brown bear go,
Where the ground is dank and sodden,
And by foot of man untrodden,
I am prophet of green cornfields, row on row.

Pois axe or double bit,
Strong be the arms that swing,
While tasseled crown comes crashing down,
And centuried forests ring.

Your father's father's fathers swung me, red from blade to haft,
When they slashed their kingdoms out of greed and wrong.
And the lands they won, I cleared them,
And the homes they built, I reared them,
There is nowhere weakness in me, I am strong,
I have bought your fertile valleys, I have given you your west,
I have pushed your railroads through to lake and mine.
South and east and west and north,
Where your sturdy sons go forth,
They shall carry on their shoulders song of mine.

White ash or hickory helve
That guides the tempered blade,
I have no will to rest until
The straight road through is made.

—John Andrews, in the Metropolitan Magazine.

Quiet Observations on Ways of the World

False Conceptions of Socialism Are Working Ruin to Many.

By ERASMUS WILSON.

True socialism is the ideal state and, condition of any people, and if it prevailed in this, or in any country, the people thereby would be ideally prosperous and happy.

But true socialism does not exist anywhere, nor can it exist until the minds and hearts of the people have changed.

The love of money is so strong in the hearts of the people everywhere that evil must necessarily prevail; for is it not written that the love of money is the root of all evil? And has this writing ever been disproved, or even pronounced false or misleading, by anyone whose opinions are held to be sound?

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And yet, with this writing on the wall unchallenged, we go right on struggling and striving for money, and continue to measure success in life by dollars and cents.

The law of true socialism is also written on the wall, and it, too, has never been assailed, nor is it held to be contrary to the constitution of the universe, nor in any way opposed to the will of God. The Master, who knew more of God's ways, and more nearly comprehended the will of God, than any other person who has ever lived, wrote this law upon the wall so plainly that all, even fools, may read and understand:

"Love God with all thy heart and soul, and thy neighbor as thyself."

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Mr. Quiet Observer:—Because of the kindness you have shown by publishing my article signed "Another Bachelor, I wish to take the liberty of writing you a personal letter. None but the strongest impulse prompts me to do so; I do not know that you will read it, much less give it any attention. Your time is far too valuable to devote to such articles, especially from one so humble.

For several years I have looked to newspaper work and journalism as a vocation to be admired for its tendencies to broaden the mind, to lead to higher thoughts in life, not alone for the followers of that profession, but that others may be benefitted thereby; but the fact that my life has been, so far one of incessant toil and privations, unable to take up higher studies, that I have been almost forced to regard my ambitions as unattainable. Yet others have conquered even worse situations; have arisen from obscurity to greatness by perseverance and deep study.

Am I doomed to live a life of hardship, to follow lowly paths of slavery working for heartless, soul-crushing corporations in the attainment of a mere existence? Have I hitched my wagon to a star too obscure, its light too feeble for my uncultured eyes to follow? Or may I hope for success in such lines to develop the talent given me, I ask you simply because you know best the requirements necessary in such a profession.

I am young, and am misunderstood, but hope for better conditions. My position as telegraph operator at its best will never add anything to my credit, there are no elevating principles connected with it. You know the operators in general, therefore little need be said on the subject, however there are some exceptions. It is good experience and furnishes excellent chances for a study of human nature, nothing more.

Please treat this kindly, and as a purely personal matter, not for publication. Pardon the great liberty I have taken, and should you deem this worthy of an answer please state whether I could be of any service to a newspaper. Are my ambitions too high? I am willing to study anything to fit myself for higher obligations.

INGRAHAM.

Back up, boy, back up good and strong. You are in a blind alley that grows darker, dirtier and drearer until it abruptly ends with no room for anyone to turn about and return to the open way.

Strange as it may seem this blind alley is crowded, and the black, blank wall that ends it is a veritable wall of wailing for tens of thousands who have listened to the freakish barkers along the open way.

Any young man can succeed in life if he is earnest and industrious. This is no idle statement, nor a mere jolly. It is God's truth.

Any young man who will do his work as well as he can, every day doing a little better than he did the day before, will succeed as surely as the sun rises from day to day.

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Excellence is the one word of all others to be written over the desk, the key, the bench, on the handle of the plow and the pick, and in the heart.

Wasn't Andrew Carnegie a telegraph messenger boy? And he was so prompt and so courteous and so faithful, that he was always picked out for special service. Nor did he kick, or complain, or strike, if this service required him to work extra hard of overtime.

And when he became an operator he threw the tape away and placed a sounder on the instrument. And he was never fully satisfied with his proficiency ,although he led the procession of operators.

Because of his efficiency he was given the hardest and most responsible positions and he filled them so well that he went up higher and higher, and by the same token he kept going higher even to his present exalted height.

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Wasn't Edison a telegraph operator, and didn't he "plug" at out of the way, lonesome, dreary railroad stations?

But he plugged so well that his march toward the home office was steady, if not particularly rapid. But he got there all right and in due time, learning a new lesson at each stop. He learned to "plug" true, and to write a perfect hand, and to write it rapidly, as rapidly as the fastest man on the line could send.

Edison was handicapped by dullness of hearing, the result of sickness while yet a child; but he "plugged" faithfully and true, and never complained, nor went on a strike, nor cursed those who for a time were more fortunate, or more favored than he.

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Eighty per cent, and more, of the successful men in every trade, profession, and business in this country, won out on the same lines.

"There isn't anything good enough" are the magic words written over the door leading to the den in which John A. Brashear won world-wide, undying fame. He learned this when a boy in a Brownsville foundry, and they became his mascot.

So back out, my dear boy, back out of that blind alley, and back good and hard until you regain the open way, and then whatsoever your hands find to do, whatsoever is honorable, helpful, good, do it with a will, making honest efforts to excell, and you will succeed, you must succeed.

CASUAL GLIMPSES AROUND THE CITY

Notes About People and Events in Which Pittsburghers Are Interested.

The annual convention of the Association of American Medical Colleges was held yesterday at the Fort Pitt hotel. Sixty-five delegates attended, mostly the deans of 60 of the best-known medical colleges in the country. The conference was in accordance with a custom of the association to meet once a year for the discussion of ways to better the curriculums and thereby raise the medical fraternity to the highest possible plane. The afternoon session was educational in tone and visitors were welcomed. Dr. Charles McIntire, secretary of the American College of Medicine, discussed a plan for wide latitude in allowing young men to enter medical colleges. Other academic subjects were treated by Dr. Frederick S. Lee of Columbia university, New York; Dr. F. C. Waite of the Western Reserve university, Cleveland, and Prof. C. Judson Herrick of Denison college, Granville, O. Members of state boards, including Dr. B. Harrison of the Michigan state board, Dr. Benjamin F. Bailey of the Nebraska state board, and Dr. M. M. Hamlin of the Missouri state board discussed more stringent examinations in these states for aspiring young medicos.

"This important conference of medical deans," said Dr. J. C. Lang, dean of the Western Pennsylvania Medical college, last night, "discussed two very important changes—interesting to the public because of their necessary reliance on the coming generation of doctors. One aim was to cause the standard of qualification for student's entry into medical colleges to be raised to a uniformly high grade; some institutions err in this respect. In this we succeeded. Our second object was to arrange for a plan of harmony between state boards, so that a student passed by one state can be accepted without question by another district. In this we failed, simply because it rested on the first proviso of raising scholastic requirements. This being settled, the interstate agreement will undoubtedly be accepted in next year's convention."

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Dedicating Civil War Monument.

A party of G. A. R. men arrived in Pittsburgh yesterday, Charles Clawson, postmaster at Mercer; J. M. Ball, Grove City; W. H. Eastwick, Mercer, and M. C. Osborn, W. R. Henderson and Alexander D. Allison of Sandy Lake, for the purpose of coalescing with the Pittsburgh and surrounding representatives of the One Hundredth regiment, Pennsylvania volunteers. A large number of Pennsylvanians will board a special train today en route to Vicksburg, Miss., where a monument to the soldier dead will be dedicated Wednesday. Last year congress made appropriations for monuments to the Pennsylvania soldiers and many were dedicated last fall. Work on the Vicksburg monument in the national cemetery of that Mississippi town was delayed by the yellow fever epidemic, and the dedication was put off until this month. A long program has been mapped out, and the Pennsylvania boys who wore the blue will fraternize with the southerners who defended the stars and bars.

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Among the Travelers.

S. L. Roseburg, proprietor of the St. Charles hotel, returned last night from a pleasure trip to North Carolina.

J. V. Thompson, a coal operator, banker and prime mover of the Uniontown & Wheeling short line, is a guest at the Seventh avenue.

J. W. Martin, postmaster of Greenville, and G. B. Chase, president of the Greenville National bank, registered last night at the Monongahela house.

D. T. Watson, the attorney and one of the framers of the Greater Pittsburgh bill, took a late train for New York on a business trip.

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Off for the Land of Sunshine.

Col. T. J. Keenan left last night for Washington, whence he goes to Charleston, S. C., to embark on the steamer Christobol Colon for the Isle of Pines. The steamer was recently built by the company in which Col. Keenan is interested, and is intended for freight and passenger service between Havana and the Isle of Pines. Several weeks ago, just after the vessel was launched, she was rammed by a raft while proceeding through the Norfolk channel and was damaged so that she had to be put in at Charleston for repairs. Col. Keenan expects to remain on the Isle of Pines for about three weeks.

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Arrivals at the Hotels.

Monongahela—J. M. Taylor, Orrville, O.; C. D. Fansworth, Buckhannon, W. Va.; B. W. Green, Emporium; J. E. Cunningham, Mansfield, O.; J. S. Wallace, Clearfield.

Griswold—W. D. Jacobs, G. W. Church, Waynesburg; J. H. Carey, Oil City.

St. Charles—W. E. Ward, California; J. M. Jenkins, Erie; George M. Neff, New Castle; J. M. Ball, Grove City; W. H. Eastick, Mercer.

Henry—John A. Kaul, Louis Kaul, St. Marys; Eli Atwood, Cyrus R. Patschke, W. J. Grandin, Tidioute; L. E. Mallony, Bradford; J. E. Carnahan, Canton, O.; W. D. Chapman, Akron, O.; Edward Nesbitt, Waynesburg; Charles H. Luke, New Bethlehem; R. S. Coyle, Charleroi; H. Gunn, Canton, O.; John F. Pauley, Waynesburg; C. S. Vandenbark, Zanesville, O.; H. C. Hale, Mineral Ridge, O.

Newell—T. F. Ranger, Marietta, O.; A. H. Fisher, Greensburg; G. Yates, Warren; Spencer S. Weait, Canton, O.; Samuel R. Hite, Fairmont, W. Va.

Antler—L. Morrison, East Brady; H. J. Connolly, Parkersburg, W. Va.; J. F. Burley, Wheeling, W. Va.; George Ketterer, Jr., Butler; J. B. Eakin, Youngstown, O.

Colonial—Charles T. Affleck, Toledo, O.; A. G. Gordon, Washington; William T. Lloyd, Warren; J. J. Platt, Ellwood; W. F. Bergman, Kittanning; F. F. De Bolt, East Liverpool.

Lincoln—H. H. Sutton, Elkins, W. Va.; C. W. Howell, Uniontown; E. H. Hubbell, Toledo, O.; Ralph Sage, Johnstown.

Anderson—J. S. Gulland, Elkins, W. Va.

Boyar—W. F. Reed, Mercer; C. F. Pratt, Erie; J. Pfaff, Kittanning; M. D. Lock, Findlay, O.; Theodore M. Shearer, Jr., C. E. Tinker, Butler; W. D. Risher, East Brady; C. D. Stewart, Erie; J. S. Brady, Parkers Landing; J. B. Kelly, Washington; W. D. Hawkins, Psinesville, O.; D. W. Shanaman, Richland.

Fort Pitt—E. E. Davis, S. Dnuber, Toledo, O.; C. D. Altick, Dayton, O.; F. J. Dixon, Blairsville; A. J. Gosser, Emleuton; C. H. Clark, Dubois; W. H. Welkey, Uniontown; E. M. Murdorff, Brownsville; N. E. Haddis, Donora; W. J. Stoop, Sharon; J. H. Timberlake, Steubenville, O.; Thomas O. Call, Bethlehem; J. F. McFarland, Vandergrift; W. J. Kyle, Waynesburg; R. S. Coyle, Charleroi; H. F. Stratlan, Clarion; W. A. Springer, Wheeling; H. O. Fettinger, Altoona.

Seventh Avenue—George B. Hamilton, Johnstown; Arthur M. Lisle, Butler; A. L. Phillips, Warren; J. V. Thompson, Uniontown; R. S. Kendall, Waynesburg.

Duquesne—Frank Lewis, Leetonia, O.; J. H. Dunbar, Youngstown, O.; Charles R. Ackert, Beaver; W. L. Lockwood, Zelienople.

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Pittsburghers in New York.

NEW YORK, March 19.—(Special.)—The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels:

Waldorf-Astoria—J. W. Garland, F. C. Hodkinson, M. B. Kelley.

Fifth Avenue—J. Worsa.

Manhattan—L. B. Boggs, Miss Kneeland, Mrs. E. Kneeland.

Cosmopolitan—G. C. Smith.

Belmont—C. W. Wallace, Mrs. Wallace, H. Vance, Mrs. Vance.

Grenoble—D. Dexter.

Broztell—C. Crosby.

Gregorian—Mrs. M. M. Gardner.

Cadillac—C. A. Brooks.

Albert—E. Everett, C. Zeiger, L. Tulteeler.

New Amsterdam—M. L. Gray.

Hoffman—T. N. Barnsdall, F. P. Barnsdall, Mrs. T. N. Barnsdall.

Burlington—S. S. Robertson.

Victoria—Mrs. J. S. Graves, M. L. Ridgeley, T. H. Morgan.

Breslin—L. L. Wolfe.

Holland—G. B. Motheral, S. Bailey.

Wolcott—E. Gray, Miss A. Eckert, F. Saug, A. Saug, Mrs. Saug, Mrs. W. B. Saug.

Imperial—J. R. Bissinger, H. P. Davis, R. Butler, W. B. Ernest.

Herald Square—P. R. F. King, S. E. Green.

Park—R. Kent.

SMART SWATS.

"You ought to insist on having your prescriptions written in plain English," said the man with reformatory instincts.

"What for?" asked the sick man.

"So that you may know just what you are taking."

"But I don't want to know. I have trouble enough."—Washington Star.

"If I was your wife," said the irate mother-in-law, "I'd give you poison."

"If you were my wife," replied the son-in-law, meekly, "I wouldn't wait for you to give it to me. I'd take it of my own accord."—Chicago News.

Jailer—Sir, there's a reporter outside wants to interview you.

Noted Prisoner—Tell I'm not in.—Le Journal.

He—I may be wrong, of course, but I always make it a rule to say just what I think.

She—You're not much of a talker, are you?—Philadelphia Press.

Some Palatable Breakfast Food Served Hot

By PETER PRY SHEVLIN.

The "Kicker's Klub."

Introductory to the "Kickers' Klub" in this column it is not a bit unpatriotic to point to England for one characteristic that has smoothed out the social amenities—the Britisher is a natural born kicker! If your Englishman, cockney from Soho or aristocrat from the East End, (nothing local!), ever runs up against insult, petty graft or abuse of power from a corporation, city official, etc., he very promptly elevates himself on his hind legs and howls! Yes, and he howls until the wrong is righted! The jokesmith hits this condition when he puts in the Englishman's mouth the phrases, "My word, but I shall write to the London Times about this outrage—bah jove, I will!"

Don't confuse the "kicker" with the "knocker." The knocker is a pariah cur who snaps at everyone's heels—the kicker is a bulldog, who guards his rights.

Join the "Kickers' Klub!"

The Motto.

Boost, boost, never knock;
But when you kick, cause a shock!

The First Howl.

Spitting in street cars is prevalent in Pittsburgh. Inasmuch as the devotees of this vulgar art are not students of literature, the company need not expect to stop the violation of an ordinance by tacking up "No spitting" signs. Enforce the law—trot out the penalty! It is granted that you cannot legislate virtue into a people, but the habit of saying "good morning, judge!" changes the viewpoint mighty quickly. Our health is more important than our morals—though the two make a splendid combination.

A case to point was in New York. That city erred shamefully in this respect until a year ago. Gothamites imagined that the right to expectorate disease-breeding germs was guaranteed by the Constitution. A crusade started. Twenty citizens a day were corralled, the thoughtless as well as the habitual spitter, the banker as well as the laboring man. It took just three weeks for the city to see things in their proper light—with the aid of the police courts. A homily on germs and disease would have gone over their heads.

Result: There is nothing of that sort in New York today, and the vulgar do not seem to miss their dearest privilege! Perhaps their digestion is better, for expectoration is deadly waste of saliva.

Coal Chips.

Will it be "back to the mines?"

"Mines?" Huh! Sounds kind o' warlike. Mines are the submarine bombs that blow up battleships.

Dunno. Soft coal men may use "soft soap." One thing is certain the consumer will play "Patsy" and get the slapstick every time.

Don't worry. Experts say that out of every 100 tons of coal burned one ton remains in the air in the form of black smoke. Get your airship and bring down a free supply for next winter.

Getting His Cent's Worth.

Blinker—There goes the meanest, stingiest man in Pittsburgh.

Clinker—How do you make that out?

"He bought a penny dreadful—one of those sensational evening newspapers with wild headlines and rabid reading matter."

"It looks like a waste of money.

"Not at all. The paper is a bad dream during the day and it furnishes free nightmares during the night!"

Invaluable for Conversation.

Smudge—Isn't this good-for-nothing weather?

Grudge—It's good for something. By roasting it you can always start up a conversation that is certain to be unanimous.

Alas, Poor Hamlet!

"Ah," said the soulful person, "have you seen the play 'Hamlet' and caught the philosophy of the melancholy Dane?"

"Who?" said the beefy person. "Oh, you mean 'Battling' Nelson. He ain't no melancholy Dane—why he just licked Terry McGovern."

Will Have to Hustle.

A presidential boom, with craft,
They now have launched for fat Judge Taft;
Well ,he has weight to hold down that big chair;
He'll quickly find out that
'Tis a dose of anti-fat
Just to keep up Teddy's record, rich and rare!

Peter Pry's Philosophy.

When the Lord created woman he didn't use a fashion plate as a pattern.

Even in nature, noise accomplishes absolutely nothing. The bite end of a rattlesnake doesn't do the rattling.

All men are born equal. But shortly after the measles stage some babies start to forge ahead and keep it up.

Live your life; but live a purer personal existence within it. That is the sort of a "double life" that the world holds honorable.

A husband who denies his wife the pleasure of arguing with him is a brute; a husband who attempts to argue with her is a plain fool.

Every man has brains. The wise man digs a broad channel and turns them into a special sphere; the fool allows his brains to form a stagnant, weedy swamp.

Practical knowledge is supreme. Do not scorn the man with a theory, though. Theoretical knowledge usually includes ideals and it is that factor that keeps industry on the jump.

When a woman has a surplus dollar it worries her greatly. She doesn't know whether to buy a bargain that she doesn't need or have her forutne told. If a seeress is in sight the money is hers.

"Absense Makes the Heart—."

The more it snows
And chills my toes
The more I cry the while;
"When you do come,
Miss Spring, by gum,
We'll sure admire your style."

Billboards and Board Bills.

Howland Rante—Yes, I am starring. You will see my face on all the billboards.

Sue Brette—You face the billboards; but you never face the board bills.

Made of "Rope."

Flo—The lips that touch tobacco will never touch mine.

Joe—Tobacco? Why, I never smoke anything but those six-for-five-cents stogies.

Advance Styles.

Beryl met Sibyl sloshing up Fifth avenue yesterday afternoon, and reflected on the axiom—if you wish to meet your dearest enemy go out attired in your shabbiest clothes.

Because of the weather Beryl was wearing an old gown of home manufacture, atrocious in fit and absolutely without style.

"Why, dear," said Sibyl, with malicious delight, "what awful dressmaker constructed that suit? Why, the sleeves are awful in shape and the fit is something terrible. Really, it's a sight."

Beryl elevated her nose in the air superciliously.

"My dear, you are 'way behind," she said. "This suit represents the 'advance styles' from Paris."

Whereupon the humbled Sibyl started in to make frantic notes of the new style and called it "something exquisite."

ELECTRICAL ACTION PRINCIPLE OF LIFE

California Professor of Physiology Makes Investigations Along Important Lines.

According to Dr. Albert J. Atkins, professor of physiology in the California medical college, "life is an infinite vital energy whose manifestations become tangible to the human senses through the medium of vibration." By the term vital energy he intends to convey a general meaning of universal life, while the words electricity, magnetism, force, light, heat, etc., are united by him to express certain phases of the same general principle. Dr. Atkins asserts that he has now conclusively demonstrated that which others have long since suspected, and that is that the life principle in the living organism is an electrical action.

For several years this physiologist has been engaged in study and experiment along this line, but until now he has not felt justified in making his researches known, the gist of which is that he has succeeded in obtaining indications of positive and negative electric currents in the air chambers of the living lungs outside of the blood stream. The tests just made were confirmatory of previous ones, with additional tests on other internal organs.

The details of these interesting and far reaching tests have been compiled and read by him before one of the leading scientific societies of this city, and in which he reiterates what he had already stated, to-wit, that he had demonstrated on living animals the presence of currents of electricity in every organ of the system.

Explodes Old Theory.

To place the non-technical reader aright it should be stated that heretofore the accepted theory relating to the purification of the blood in the lungs was due to a process of oxidation by what is called osmosis, that is, the tendency of the oxygen drawn into the lungs was to pass through the membrane of which the cells were formed and which in this case must necessarily be assumed to be porous—while the new electrical theory of Atkins indicates, in direct opposition to the foregoing, that the membranes are not porous, that osmosis cannot therefore take place, and that the purification of the blood is really the result of electrical action outside the blood cells in the lungs.

Another series of tests proved the existence of an alternating current of electricity in the air chamber of the living lungs outside the blood stream as mentioned. This was done by performing treacheotomy (cutting the windpipe) of a live sheep; two especially prepared platinum electrodes were inserted through the opening, one into the cavity of each lung. These electrodes were insulated nearly to the end, and terminated in a small head of platinum so as not to injure the delicate tissues of the lungs; the electrodes were connected by a galvanometer, an apparatus for measuring electric currents, and at each inspiration and expiration of the animal the indicating needle of the instrument would move first to the right and then to the left, registering alternately a positive and a negative current.

The introduction of oxygen gas slightly increased the amount of electrical action. In the brain, spinal cord, walls of the heart and of the stomach, in the liver and kidneys and galvanometer indicated that electricity was generated, and these were nearly always alternating currents.

The experimental critics, however, was made on the stomach of a healthy man by having him swallow a tube fitted with suitably prepared electrodes; at the points of contact with the walls of the stomach the electrodes were about an inch apart. When the circuit was completed the galvanometer showed that a direct current was being generated, and from this it is stated that the whole process of digestion is electro-chemical in nature; it also explains why the stomach does not digest itself—a question which has puzzled physiologists ever since these specialists have known that man had such an organ. The current of electricity produces the chemical action of digestion and by reason of its resistance prevents the chemical action from extending into the wals of the stomach.

By summing up these experiments it would seem, then, that the human organism is simply an electric battery, and one that follows the same laws as those in which the elements of zinc and carbon enter. This great human battery of the physical organism contains many electrical circuits, both small and large, simple and complicated; many nerve conductors, many terminals, many relays and other most delicately arranged apparatus. These constitute the body of mankind, and the life principle itself is everywhere electrical in action. In the study of electrical phenomena as manifested in the living organism, the blood may be considered as the exciting fluid of the human battery, and the nerves the connecting wires, forming circuits by means of the blood with all the organs and tissues of the physiological system.

A Good Illustration.

A battery offers a good illustration of the manner in which electricity is carried in the molecules of a fluid; when the chemical change occurs between the organism and its inorganic environment energy is stored up as a charge or under pressure, and when disturbed it is converted into current electricity and as such it is capable of doing work, performing mechanical motion, etc. In the human blood a liquid is found capable of being charged by electricity; the blood with its chemicals held in solution retains this charge as potential energy.

Having shown the manner in which the energy in the lungs is generated and that a portion of it is stored up in the blood as potential, it can now be said that another portion passes directly to the brain through the sensory nerves of the lungs. These sensory impulses are transformed into motor impulses in the cerebro-spinal axis and return to the lungs through nerves of the sympathetic system, which discharges the negative current, already proven to exist in the lungs. This completes one of the principal circuits in the living organism and is the one which starts and maintains the respiration. This, then, is the beginning of the circulation of the life forces, and from the first sensory cry of the infant to the last feeble gasp of old age, life is from one breath to another.

The study of the electrical action taking place in the human system will give the world a new physiology, a physiology that will teach the well how not to be sick and a simpler and more rational treatment for those who have disobeyed nature's laws. With a better understanding of how the human body maintains the equilibrium of its forces a means will be placed in the hands of physicians for curing diseases that have baffled the skill of all ages. Already the people are turning away from serum therapy and over-medication. They are seeking health in the open fields, bathing their bodies in blessed sunshine and filling their lungs with pure air.—Denver Republican.

Answers to Correspondents.

G. W. M.—He certainly can.

F. McC., Steubenville.—Do not know of any occasion of the character you mention.

FREELY PREDICT GENERAL STRIKE

Operators Take Pessimistic View of Robbins' Resignation. To Discard Union Labor.

MITCHELL WRITES STRIKERS

Opinion was general among coal operators in this district yesterday that the resignation of Francis L. Robbins as floor leader for the bituminous operators in the Indianapolis conference, was indicative of a general strike. The fact that the largest consumers have stored up immense quantities of coal makes the outlook in the coal trade for the immediate future very discouraging, and operators are a unit in declaring that the closing down of the mines for 60 or 90 days would be the healthiest condition for the trade to experience at this time.

It was predicted by local operators yesterday that the operators in session in Indianapolis would demand a decrease when they meet the miners in joint conference, and that the limit the operators would go would be an offer for a continuance of the present scale. It is further believed that Mr. Robbins' resignation as floor leader has unclothed him of a responsibility in the matter which other interests might have held him accountable for.

While repeatedly contradicted by Mr. Robbins, the opinion has been general that the United States Steel Corporation and Wall street influences have been endeavoring to induce Mr. Robbins to make a concession that would deter a strike. He is now in a position to act as an individual, and it is believed that he rather enjoys this capacity under the existing circumstances.

Fearful Robbins Will Bolt.

Independent operators in this district are still fearful that Mr. Robbins will yet bolt the interstate agreement and sign up with the miners upon agreeable terms. Mr. Robbins has contended that the Ryan resolution forbidding agreements with any district until all districts are ready to sign, was sufficient to abrogate the interstate agreement which was organized for the purpose of attending to its own affairs. If the Ryan resolution is not rescinded in its entirety, he may claim the right to sign up on this ground, and if the resolution is rescinded, he will have the individual right to do so anyhow.

Independent operators declared yesterday that if the Pittsburgh Coal Company does this the independents will forever ignore the United Mine Workers and conduct their mines on a non-union basis. Figures just issued by the government show that the Pittsburgh Coal Company mined 18,391,795 tons during 1905, while the independents in this district mined 23,456,535 tons last year.

An open letter was received yesterday by the miners in the Irwin field, where a strike is in progress at Penn station, from National President Mitchell of the United Mine Workers, setting forth the representation by delegates which each mine is to have to the coming convention in that field on March 27. The letter follows:

Mitchell's Open Letter.

To the organized and unorganized miners in the Irwin field, Pennsylvania:

For a great many years the Irwin field has been in an unorganized condition and as a result the miners have not been able to protect themselves against the encroachment of the operators. Many grievances that should be remedied continue to exist, and unfair conditions relative to wages, hours of labor, weighing of coal, and general treatment of the men have become almost unbearable.

In order that some of these burdens may be remedied, it has been decided to call a convention of the organized and unorganized miners of the Irwin field, that they may take council with each other to that end. You are, therefore, hereby notified that there will be a convention of the organized and unorganized miners of the Irwin field held at Irwin station at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, March 27, 1906.

The basis of representation will be one vote for each 100 miners or mine laborers or majority fraction thereof, which the delegate may represent, but no delegate shall cast more than 7 votes. At those mines where local unions are in existence, the local union will send the delegates. At mines where no local union exists, the miners are requested to call meetings and elect their delegates from the same.

Hoping for a good, representative attendance, we are, Fraternally yours,

JOHN MITCHELL,
International president.

W. B. WILSON,
International Secretary-Treasurer.

Able-Bodied Men Wanted.

Much attention was directed yesterday to advertisements appearing in several newspapers, calling for "able-bodied, six-foot men to do guard duty out of town." Applicants were asked to call at room 315 Fitzsimons building. There was no indication at the address given as to who the employer was, but a number of men were accepted, they being promised $2.50 a day. Successful applicants were not told their destination, but were asked to report ready for service today. It is generally believed that the men will be used to guard the mines at Penn station where a determined effort will be made to break the existing strike.

Pending a settlement at Indianapolis none of the coal now awaiting shipment on the local rivers is being shipped out. Fresh tows from the upper pools are being dropped into the Pittsburgh harbor hourly and it is estimated that there are 6,000,000 bushels stored in barges on the rivers at present. It is believed that this coal can be disposed of at high prices in case of a general strike, and the holding back of this coal is taken to indicate that conditions are most critical.

SOMETHING BACK OF CHARGE.

Personal Reasons Alleged to Be Behind Attempt to Oust Miss Lewis from Sunday School Office.

Personal reasons instead of the mere fact that she is alleged to hold stock in a brewing company are said to be behind the recent attempt to oust Miss Martha E. Lewis from the secretaryship of the Sunday school of the Mary S. Brown Memorial Methodist Episcopal church. Members of the church decline to discuss this phase of the matter, but it is asserted by some that the brewery stock charge was used merely as a pretext.

The Rev. Dr. C. Y. Wilson, pastor of the church, says there will likely be no split in the congregation on account of the Lewis case. He declares also that there is no truth in the report that the executors of the estate of the late Capt. Samuel S. Brown had refused, unless Miss Lewis left, to turn over the $70,000 willed by him to the church. The funds provided by Capt. Brown are said to be available any time the church wishes to use them for the new church building.

MULE KICKS DRIVER.

Man Then Falls Under Mine Car, Being Perhaps Fatally Hurt.

John Felix, a driver in a coal mine near Hays borough, was kicked yesterday by the mule which he was driving. He fell under the wheels of the mine-car, and three ribs were crushed, the mule's kick having fractured his skull. He is probably fatally injured.

William Sanderson, an engineer at the Homestead steel works, was burned yesterday by gas which ignited while leaking from a supply pipe. It is believed he will lose his eyesight. He was taken to the South Side hospital.

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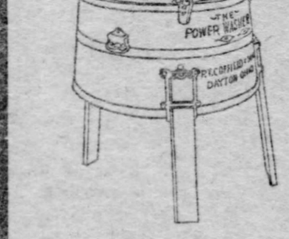

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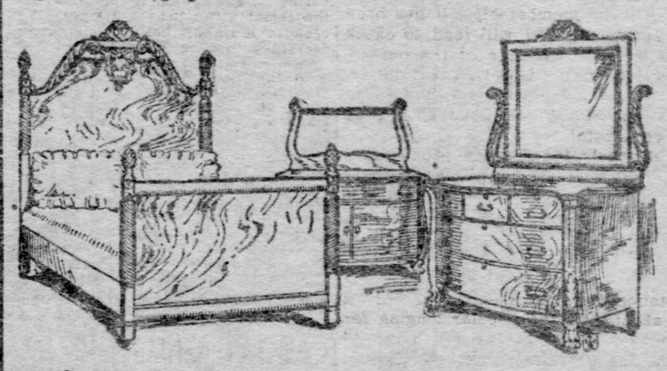

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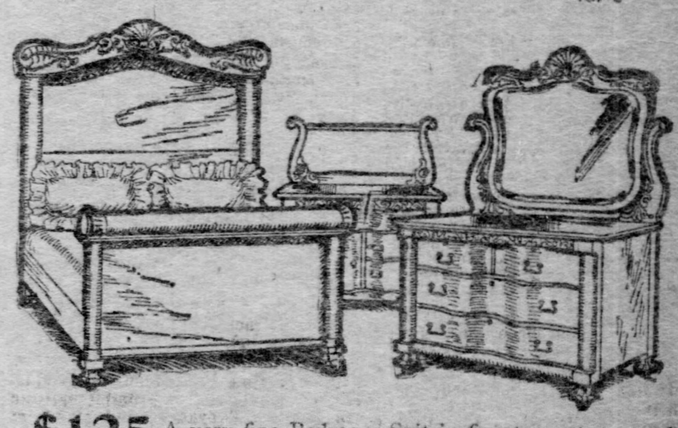
This quartered golden oak Bedroom Suit is in a very artistic design. Hand carvings are accurately worked out. Rope-turned posts on bedstead. Dresser is 4 feet 2 inches wide. It has five drawers, each lined with birdseye maple. Corner posts are carved and end in a large claw foot. Large French bevel mirror.



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Mantel Folding Bed. Complete with bed spring. Oval French bevel mirror in top. Room for all bedding when closed... $20

Upright Folding Bed. Carved top. French bevel mirror. Complete with bed-spring. Value $47..... $35

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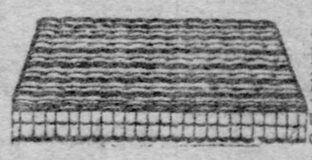

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CONDEMN HERMES AND E. M. BIGELOW

Sixth Ward Civic Association Opposes Traction Franchise and a Street Vacation.

THEIR MISPLACED CONFIDENCE

The Sixth Ward Civic association last night condemned Peter Hermes, select councilman of the ward, for the vacation of a portion of Watson street in his own interest, and also rebuked Director Bigelow for his efforts to secure for the Pittsburgh Railways Company a franchise over certain East End streets. About 100 persons were at the meeting in the Forbes school house. Dr. J. P. Shaw, president of the association, presided, and Dr. W. F. Barclay, Thomas J. Egan, William McFarland, A. C. McFadden, Dr. Shaw and others made speeches. One of the speakers said:

"We are much disappointed in Mr. Hermes. Elected to look out for the interests of the ward, he has had a strip of Watson street vacated and the strip will revert to him, as he owns the property on both sides of the street. Once before Mr. Hermes had this street vacated while a member of select council, but he afterward apparently abandoned his efforts to secure the street. In fact, he strenuously denied that he wanted it. Every time he hit an Italian with his automobile the newspaper reporters who questioned him about the accidents always threw in a query about Watson street, and the accidents were so many that his denials that he wanted the street were frequently published."

Howard Gleason, Dr. M. H. Howell and John Keisler were appointed a committee to prepare resolutions on the Watson street vacation and the effort of Director Bigelow for the traction franchise. They reported resolutions, which were unanimously adopted. The resolutions on the Watson street vacation are as follows:

Resolved, That the action of the councils of the city and those directly interested in the vacation of a strip of Watson street, a street already too narrow for the convenience and comfort of public traffic in this congested district, is against public policy and the interest, not only of the Sixth ward, but of this section of the city.

Resolved, That the confidence reposed in our representative to the select council has been misplaced in his selfish and unscrupulous disregard of the people's interests in the vacation of a public street for his personal use and the advancement of his personal interests, and be it further

Resolved, That we condemn such action and demand the restoration of the street in its original width to the purpose for which it was intended.

The resolutions on the traction franchises recite that the patience of the people is exhausted and that the Civic association views "with indignation the efforts of the director of public works, a paid servant of the people, to carry out his nefarious betrayal of public trust in trying to give away additional street franchises, the property of the people, without compensation. His strenuous efforts in the face of public protest, recently registered at the polls, and against the aroused public conscience shows his unbridled audacity, his utter disregard of the rights of the people, his entire subserviency to the corporate interests which he has at all times served at a great cost to the taxpayers."

The Death Roll.

Mrs. Elizabeth Ann Reed.

Mrs. Elizabeth Ann Reed, aged 68, died yesterday at her home, 122 Hazelwood avenue, after a short illness. Mrs. Reed was born in Allegheny. She was a granddaughter of Gen. John Sinclair of Baltimore, who fought with distinction in the revolutionary war. In 1863 she was married to George McG. Brown, an oil operator, who died in 1869. Four years later she was married to John Reed. Mrs. Reed had been a resident of Hazlewood for the past seven years. She was a member of the Hazlewood Baptist church. For many years she lived in Lawreneville, and during that period was a member of what is now the Forty-sixth Street Baptist church. The following children survive her: Frank P. Brown of Warren, O.; Mrs. Warren Gilliland of Hazlewood, George J. Reed, connected with the reportorial force of the Dispatch, and Geneva Reed and a sister, Mrs. Ida Johnston of Duquesne.

Mrs. Caroline Kurz.

Mrs. Caroline Kurz, for many years a resident of Oakland, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth E. Stromp, Orchard street and Beltzhoover avenue, Knoxville, yesterday morning at 2:15. The deceased was born in Adelsheim, Baden, Germany, in 1844. Her maiden name was Caroline Wittman, and she was married to the late John Kurtz in Germany in 1867. In 1869 they came to America and settled in Oakland, where they lived for many years. Mr. Kurtz died 16 years ago. Ten years ago the widow lived in Oakland, but since has made her home with her daughter. She is survived by two children, Mrs. Stromp, and Charles Kurtz, a hotel proprietor in Oakland. Three grandchildren also survive. The funeral will be held from the late residence in Knoxville at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Interment will be in Homewood cemetery.

Mrs. Mary A. Bower.

Word has been received in McKeesport of the death of Mrs. Mary A. Bower of that city at her old home in Williamsport, Md., where she went last fall in search of health. She was aged 70, and had been a resident of McKeesport for 22 years. She is survived by the following children, her husband having died several years ago: M. F. and Thomas Bower, Mrs. Carrie Nicholson and Mrs. Flora Harding, McKeesport; William W. and Joseph Bower, Pittsburgh; Mrs. Laura Wolf and Miss Mollie Bower, Williamsport, Md.

Mrs. Philip Helm.

Mrs. Ursula Helm, aged 69, wife of Philip Helm, died yesterday morning at the family residence, 3 Savannah avenue, Edgewood, from pneumonia. Mrs. Helm was born in Bavaria, Germany, but had lived in Pittsburgh since girlhood. She was a member of the High Street German Lutheran church. Mrs. Helm is survived by her husband, two daughters, Mrs. Charles W. Kreiling and Elizabeth, and two sons, George L., Wilkinsburg, and Lawrence J., Knoxville.

Captain Ludwig Keefer.

Capt. Ludwig Keefer, an old riverman, died at his late residence, 127 Bigham street, yesterday morning. He was the owner of the Dakota and the Lud Keefer. After retiring from the river he was a tenement inspector. Capt. Keefer was born on the South Side, January 12, 1851. He leaves his widow, Mary Keefer, two daughters, Mrs. Harry Stone and Mrs. Lawrence Cargo, and one son, Lawrence Keefer.

Obituary Notes.

Mrs. Mary L. Browning, aged 33, wife of George L. Browning, died Sunday at the family home, 15 Wilhelm street, Elliott borough.

Matthew Workman, aged 49, a coal dealer and expressman, died Sunday at his home, 4829 Butler street. His widow and several children survive.

Mrs. Mary Quinlan McFeely, aged 55, widow of James McFeely, died Sunday at the home of her sister, Miss Ellen Quinlan, 1533 Monterey street, Allegheny. She was a member of St. Peter's Roman Catholic church.

John George Nicholson, aged 35, of Fleming park, McKees Rocks, died yesterday afternoon from pneumonia. He was a member of the McKees Rocks Methodist Episcopal church, and is survived by three children. His wife died some time ago.

Wynne O'Brien, a former resident of Oakland, died Thursday last at Albuquerque, N. M., where he went two months ago in the hope of bettering his health. He was a son of the late Attorney Joseph O'Brien, and resided with his mother at 2233 Fifth avenue.

Michael Navin, aged 56, died suddenly Sunday at his home in Frazier street, Braddock, from heart trouble. He was born in Ireland and had lived in Braddock 14 years. He was a mill worker, a member of St. Thomas Roman Catholic church, and leaves his widow and five daughters.

Mrs. Mary McHale, widow of John McHale, died Saturday at the home of her son, Patrick McHale, 382 Forty-fifth street. She was born in Ireland and for 17 years had resided in the Seventeenth ward. She was a member of St. Mary's Roman Catholic church. Two sons and two daughters survive her.

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NEWS OF THE NEARBY TOWNS AND COUNTRY

REMONSTRATERS MUST CITE AUTHORITIES

Judge Crisswel Issues a Statement from Bench Regarding His Position.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

FRANKLIN, PA., March 19.—(Special.)—Judge Crisswell today announced in license court that if the Prohibitionists would cite him their authorities in support of the contention he was compelled to refuse applications for license if the sentiment of a majority of the voters were in favor of it, he would gladly welcome the citizens and would be governed accordingly. This theory was frequently expressed by the temperance advocates during the judgeship campaign last fall.

The judge also cautioned dealers not to sell to unlicensed persons whom they had reason to believe intended selling the liquor again. In the end he held all licenses over until tomorrow. Nine remonstrances were filed, two against wholesalers in Franklin, one against the Brecht brewery in Franklin, the Windsor and National hotels in Oil City, John P. Lynch, wholesale, Oil City; Morah house, and T. F. Creighton, Emienton, and St. Charles hotel, Siverly. The court said:

"Since the hearing upon liquor licenses one year ago the theory has been advanced that all licenses may properly be refused in any particular county where the sentiment of the electors of such county is opposed to the granting of licenses. If under the law the fact that a majority of the electors of any county is opposed to the granting of licenses furnishes a proper basis for refusing all licenses, such law and sentiment should be given effect, not only by this court, but by all like courts in the state.

"If such sentiment can be ascertained by an election it is the duty of the court to ascertain it by ordering an election directly on the question. If this can be properly done this court, as well as probably every other court in the state, will rejoice in the opportunity of thus possibly avoiding its disagreeable and non-judicial duty of determining to whom and to what places licenses shall be granted. If there be any authority for the position indicated, the presentation of them will be welcomed."

GIRL'S PECULIAR REQUEST.

Oil City Lass Asks to Be Taken from the Hands of Her Parents.

FRANKLIN, PA., March 19.—(Special.)—Because they sought to compel her to marry a man 45 years old, and committed other alleged acts of cruelty, Ruby Holmes, an 18-year-old girl from Oil City, today asked Judge Criswell to take her out of the hands of her parents and place her in the custody of a guardian. The mother recently announced her daughter's engagement.

The girl rebelled, with the result that neighbors brought criminal proceedings against the parents, who were convicted in an alderman's court. This gave the girl the right to seek a guardian. She chose the Rev. John Dowsmith, rector of Christ Protestant Episcopal church of Oil City.

BURGLAR KILLS WOMAN WHEN HE IS RECOGNIZED

POTTSVILLE, PA., March 19.—Mrs. John Morrison, of Cumbola, near here, was shot and killed as she lay in bed early today by one of three masked burglars, two of whom compelled the husband to precede them to the first floor and deliver to them a purse containing a sum of money. The third burglar remained in the room with Mrs. Morrison to prevent her from giving an alarm. It is believed by the authorities the woman recognized the robber and when he learned she had discovered his identity he shot her.

Open Grate Causes Child's Death.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., March 19.—(Special.)—Cora, the 4-year-old daughter of Mrs. Amanda Lape of Brownsfield, this county, died last night from burns received Saturday in front of an open grate. Mrs. James Hoke, an aunt, was burned about the face and hands in attempting to save the child's life. Four of the latter's fingers were burned off.

Record for Building Locomotives.

ALTOONA, PA., March 19.—(Special.)—The Pennsylvania Juniata shops have broken all local records for locomotive construction for one month of 22½ working days, by turning out 24 new engines. This record establishes the annual output at 350 engines, and officials say if an emergency arose it could be increased to 500.

School Teacher Dies Suddenly.

COSHOCTON, O., March 19.—(Special.)—Miss Della Myers, aged 20, a pretty school teacher in apparently perfect health became violently ill on her way home from school Saturday afternoon and died in convulsions this afternoon. Her death is being investigated.

DEATHS IN NEARBY TOWNS.

BEAVER FALLS—Charles Wesley Bebout, aged 69, died Monday afternoon at the home of his daughter, Mrs. F. O. Bert, in Beaver Falls. He was born in New Brighton and for 20 years was a baggagemaster on the Pennsylvania railroad between Pittsburgh and New Brighton. Twelve years ago he opened a music store in New Brighton, and later conducted a paperhanging and decorative business, from which he retired several years ago on account of ill health. He was a member of the Methodist Episcopal church. Mrs. Bert is his only surviving child.

SHARON—Amos Zahniser of Jefferson township, aged 62, is dead. He held several township offices and had lived in this vicinity all his life.

Davis B. Kurtz.

DAVIS D. KURTZ HURT BY FALL IN THE STREET

Well-Known New Castle Attorney Is Seriously Injured—Nestor of the Lawrence County Bar.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW CASTLE, PA., March 19.—Very slight hopes are felt for the recovery of Attorney Davis B. Kurtz, who slipped and fell in the street here today, fracturing his left thigh. He is the most widely known attorney of this city, and is also the Nestor of the Lawrence county bar, being the only lawyer who was practicing here when the county was formed 57 years ago. He is in his eightieth year and has for many years practiced in all the higher courts of the state and before the United States supreme court. He is the vice president of the National Bank of Lawrence County.

Mr. Kurtz had walked from his residence during a heavy fall of snow and was just entering his office when he slipped and fell, fracturing his thigh upon the stone step.

BEAVER PRIMARIES TO BE HELD IN EARLY MAY

BEAVER, Pa., March 19.—(Special.)—County Republican Chairman Charles H. Stone has issued the call for the Republican primaries to be held Saturday, May 19. A congressman, two assemblymen, a prothonotary and a jury commissioner are to be nominated, as well as four delegates to the state convention. Thus far no one has arisen to oppose the Hon. E. F. Acheson of Washington for the congressional nomination. Representatives J. W. Carson and ex-Sheriff Howard Bliss are the only candidates so far for assemblymen. Prothonotary Wilbur R. Harris is seeking a renomination.

Dry Spell Threatened at New Castle.

NEW CASTLE, PA., March 19.—A dry spell is seriously threatened as a result of Judge Porter today announcing the postponement of license court from Wednesday until next Monday. This results from the prolongation of the present criminal court term owing to the murder trial of Tom O'Toole. Last year all the saloons were closed for one week until the court rendered decisions in the license applications. It will scarcely be possible to complete the work of license court in one week.

To Take Care of Pauper Consumptives.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., March 19.—Special.)—An addition is to be built to the county infirmary to take care of tuberculosis patients. The increase in consumptives caused so much concern, the attorney general of the state was communicated with. He ruled the directors had authority to build a hospital for pauper consumptives.

Find Allegheny Man Guilty.

BEAVER, Pa., March 19.—(Special.)—Charles Dawson alias Aber, of Morrison avenue, Allegheny, was found guilty in criminal court of shooting with intent to kill Detective Morrison of the Pennsylvania railroad. Dawson is a railroad man.

NEWS NOTES OF NEARBY TOWNS.

UNIONTOWN—Uniontown men have purchased 700 acres of coal in South Franklin township, Washington county, from Grant Moninger for $700,000.

SHARON—Mrs. Medora Corrigan, who sued the Pennsylvania railroad for $30,000 for the death of her husband at South Sharon in 1904, has been awarded a verdict of $4,000.

NEW CASTLE—The Shenango Glass factory of the American Window Glass Company has closed down here for six weeks to make necessary repairs. The shut-down affects over 200 men.

BEAVER—C. B. Ross, a negro, was found guilty in criminal court of attempted burglary. He had been shot by plucky Mrs. W. R. Smith of Bridgewater when he tried to break into her home at midnight.

CONNELLSVILLE—A rumor is current that the South Connellsville branch of the American Sheet and Tin Plate Company will resume operation April 2. Local officials will neither affirm or deny the report.

YOUNGSTOWN, O.—Council will fight for a lower street car fare when the Mahoning and Shenango Railway and Light Company asks for a franchise to connect the Youngstown and Sharon line with the Mahoning Valley line at Central square.

UNIONTOWN—An evidence of the fixed belief that the Uniontown & Wheeling Short Line railroad will be built is the fact that the Plumer Coke Company changed the location of its coke plant on finding that the survey of the railroad went through where 17 coke ovens were to be built.

DEFENSE ENDEAVORING TO PROVE O'TOOLE INSANE.

Dr. T. M. McKennon of St. Francis Hospital Testifies in the New Castle Murder Trial.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW CASTLE, PA., March 19.—Dr. T. M. McKennon of St. Francis hospital, Pittsburgh, appeared this afternoon as an insanity expert in the murder trial of Tom O'Toole for killing Roy Barber. Dr. McKennon, summoned by the defense, listened to a lengthy description of the murder and statements of witnesses for the defense concerning the previous actions of the accused and then was asked his opinion of the mental condition of a man so acting.

The Pittsburgh physician said he could not conceive of a sane man acting so and believed the crime was that of a diseased mind. He was then asked to study the appearance of O'Toole and give his opinion as to whether or not he showed the effects of excessive cocaine using. Dr. McKennon said the prisoner not only showed the effect of the drug in his appearance, but gave indications at that moment of being under its influences.

The expert was closely questioned by both the commonwealth and defense. Four other witnesses testified this afternoon—Fred Young, E. H. McKee, J. H. Grimes and M. Hayes, all of Clairton, Pa., who had worked with O'Toole there last fall. They thought he had acted abnormally.

COMMISSIONERS RAISE TAX.

Residents of Beaver County Receive Surprise by Action of Recently Elected Officials.

BEAVER, PA., March 19.—(Special.)—The county commissioners this afternoon increased the tax levy from four mills to six and a half mills. The commissioners were elected on a platform of "anti-graft and reduced county expenses." The announcement of the tax levy was made late today from the commissioners' office by Under Clerk A. R. Raymer, who at once slipped out.

As soon as the news spread the commissioners' office was besieged. The commissioners say they will make a statement later. The increase is really greater than is shown on the face of it, as one mill is for county poor farm purposes and five and a half mills for county purposes. Last year one mill was for the poor district and three mills for county purposes, so the county tax is almost doubled.

Will Fight Street Car Company.

BUTLER, Pa., March 19.—(Special.)—Jury Commissioner Amos L. Cooper today entered a bill in equity and secured a preliminary injunction against the Pittsburgh & Butler Street Railway Company, their contractors and employes, to prevent them from constructing a trolley line through the lot surrounding his residence in Valencia.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

Max Gilbert, Celia Silverman, Pittsburgh.

Thomas Hopkins, Eva Smyers; William A. Marshall, Euphemia B. Sparks, all of Allegheny.

John Hagerty, Annie Prezro, Clairton.

John Davis, Elizabeth Jukes, Carnegie.

William E. Terris, Cornelia Freeman, California.

George Mowry, Loretta McKinley, Braddock.

Edwin G. Lane, New Castle, Blanche Le Cotter, California; Harry Ward, Brownsville; Laura Scurfield, Monongahela.

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DIED.

BAKER—On Saturday, March 17, 1906, at 8:40 p. m., at his residence, No. 426 Noble street, ERNEST WAINWRIGHT BAKER, aged 19 years.

Funeral services this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

BINDER—On Friday, March 16, 1906, at 9:05 p. m., THOMAS BINDER, aged 75 years, at the residence of his son-in-law, Philip Staab, 38 St. Paul street, South Side.

Funeral services this morning, at 8:30 o'clock, at St. Paul's Monastery. Friends of the family respectfully invited to attend.

FAULKNER—On Monday, March 19, 1906, at 4:45 p. m., CHARLES CLYDE, beloved child of Walker and Lena Faulkner (nee Schlotter), aged 6 months and 7 days.

Funeral from the residence, 167 McClure avenue, Allegheny, on Wednesday, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private.

FORRESTER—On Monday morning, March 19, 1906, at 2 o'clock, MARGARET STEELE, youngest daughter of H. A. and Ella A. Forrester, aged 8 years.

Both funeral services and interment private from the residence, 18 Thomas avenue, Bellevue, on Wednesday, at 2 p. m.

KENAH—At rest, on Saturday, March 17, 1906, MARY BOISOL KENAH, at her residence, 26 Bigham street, Mt. Washington.

Funeral services this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private.

KURZ—On Monday, March 19, 1906, at 2:15 a. m., Mrs. CAROLINA KURZ (nee Wittman), widow of John Kurz, aged 61 years 7 months and 5 days.

Funeral services at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth E. Stromp, corner Orchard and Beltzhoover streets, Knoxville, on Wednesday, March 21, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Take Knoxville cars.

LAWYER—On Saturday, March 17, 1906, at 10:30 p. m., IRENE MAY, daughter of Frank and Bertha Zollinger Lawyer, aged 7 years.

Funeral services at the parents' residence, 315 Cora street, Brushton, Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

McHALE—On Saturday, March 17, 1906, at 10 p. m., MARY McHALE, widow of John McHale.

Funeral from the residence of her son, Mr. Patrick McHale, No. 382 Forty-fifth street, Tuesday at 8:15 a. m. Requiem mass at St. Mary's church at 9 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited. (No carriages.)

M'LEAN—On Saturday, March 17, 1906, MARY C. M'LEAN.

Funeral services at the residence of her sister-in-law, Mrs. W. B. McLean, 1050 Thirty-third street, on Tuesday, March 20, at 2 p. m. Interment private.

MARRON—On Monday, March 19, 1906, at 7 p. m., at the residence of her uncle, Wilfrid Stewart, 1909 St. Clair Terrace, Allegheny, BESSIE MARRON, aged 19 years. Notice of funeral later.

MERKEL—On Saturday, March 17, 1906, at 1:20 p. m., at his residence, 546 Smithfield street, FRANK, beloved husband of Emma Zittman Merkel, aged 52 years.

Requiem mass at St. Philomena's church, corner of Fourteenth and Liberty avenue, this morning at 10 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. (Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York papers please copy.)

MOORE—On Saturday, March 17, 1906, at 12:30 o'clock, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lina J. Moore, No. 924 Rebecca street, CATHERINE DALE MOORE, aged 1 year 1 week and 5 days.

Burial at Uniondale, yesterday at 10 o'clock.

NAVIN—Suddenly, on Sunday, March 18, 1906, at 6:30 a. m., MICHAEL NAVIN, in his 60th year.

Funeral from his late residence, 428 Frazier street, Braddock, Pa., on Tuesday, at 8:30 a. m. Services at St. Thomas' church, Braddock, Pa., at 9 a. m. Friends of the family at respectfully invited to attend.

PRICE—On Sunday, March 18, 1906, at 8 a. m., ELIZA, widow of Abraham Price, aged 80 years.

Funeral services at her residence, 4626 Penmore street, East End, Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment private.

REED—On Monday, March 19, 1906, at 7:15 a. m., ELIZABETH ANN REED, at her home 122 Hazelwood avenue, aged 68 years.

Notice of funeral later.

SANDERS—On Monday, March 19, 1906, at 4:45 p. m., Mrs. GEORGE P. SANDERS (nee Howarth) of England, aged 21 years 9 months and 21 days.

Funeral services on Thursday, at 2:30 p. m., at her late residence, 4939 Second avenue Hazelwood.

[Cincinnati (O.) and Baltimore (Md.) papers please copy.]

WOLFF—On Sunday, March 18, 1906, at 7:15 a. m., JOHN R. WOLFF, beloved husband of Augusta Merkel Wolff, in his 49th year.

Funeral from the family residence, No. 419 Larimer avenue, on Tuesday, March 20, at 2 p. m. The members of Charles D. Freeman lodge No. 1036, I. O. O. F., and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

(Butler county papers please copy.)

FLORAL EMBLEMS

A. M. MURDOCH,

Court 2222. 250 Fifth Avenue.

REFUSES SEVERAL LICENSES

Judge Holt of Beaver Hands Down More Applications—Cases Under Advisement.

BEAVER, PA., March 19.—(Special.)—License applications which had been held over were announced today by Judge R. S. Holt as follows: Granted—S. A. Dickey, retail, Ambridge; Harry G. Miller, wholesale, Ambridge; Sylvester H. Hunter, Beaver Falls. Refused—J. E. Boyle & Co., wholesale, Ambridge; Paul Arbuta, wholesale, Ambridge; Fred Reithmiller, wholesale, Ambridge; Howard & Shields, eating house, Beaver Falls.

Held under advisement—W. F. Graham, hotel, Rochester. Rehearing refused—Jacob Hicks, wholesale, Monaca. Rehearing entertained—J. J. Patterson, College Hill, and John Stubler, wholesale, New Brighton.

Another Legislative Aspirant.

SCOTTDALE, PA., March 19.—Dr. E. P. Weddell, a practicing physician, school director and for several years member of the pension examining board, today announced he will be a candidate for assembly at the coming Republican primaries. He is the second candidate from Scottdale, Berkey H. Boyd, a young merchant, having announced a week ago. Three assemblymen are to be elected in this new district.

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OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY COUNTY.

Office of Controller of Allegheny County, Pittsburgh, Pa., March 20, 1906.

NOTICE TO CIVIL ENGINEERS.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until 12 o'clock, noon, Friday, March 30, 1906, for furnishing property plans of the following named boroughs viz.:

Braddock, four wards; Bellevue, three wards; Homestead, five wards; Sewickley, two wards; Duquesne, three wards; Rankin, one ward, and Avalon borough.

For specifications and further information call on P. W. Siebert, registrar of deeds, room No. 35, court house.

The commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids. Bids to be addressed to the county commissioners and filed in the office of the county controller.

Successful bidders to give bond in sufficient surety for the faithful performance of the contract.

E. P. BOOTH,
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Children's sizes, $5.00 to $28.50.

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The $37.50 one is a fine Organdie trimmed with dainty Val. Lace.

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Waist and elbow sleeves, eyelet embroidery—collar and cuffs trimmed with fine Val. lace—skirt is eyelet embroidery with 16-inch flounce—flounce has four rows of dainty tucks—the prettiest new style of the season, $25.00.

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Boys' Blue or Black Knee Pants Suits—Thibets or Unfinished Worsteds—double breasted coats the proper style this Spring, $5.00 to $12.50.

Youths' Long Pants Suits—Blue or Black Thibets or Unfinished Worsteds, double breasted coats, $10.00 to $25.00.

Black Stiff Hats for boys—the new Spring Blocks, sizes 6½ and larger, $1.85 to $3.00.

Soft Hats—sizes 6½ and larger, $1.00 to $2.00.

Boys' Stiff Bosom White Shirts, without cuffs, $1.00.

Finer Shirts with cuffs attached, $1.50.

White Lawn Ties, 12½c to 25c.

8-Inch White Moire Ribbon for sashes—75c a yard—purchased under fortunate circumstances—otherwise would cost a dollar.

Large selection of Fancy Stripes, Brocade, Taffeta, Satin Taffeta, French Faille and Moire Ribbons, 5 to 10 inches wide, all White, 25c to $3.00 a yard.

72-inch White Cotton Veiling—three grades at three prices, 75c, $1.00 and $1.25 a yard.

Silk Veiling, 50c to $1.50 a yard.

White Silk Shawls or Shoulder Capes—special value, $1.00.

Knit Stoles—something new and dressy, $1.25.

Icewool Head Throws, 50c to $1.00.

Misses' Ribbed Silk Lisle or Plain Lisle Hose, shaped leg, all sizes, 25c.

Finer ones, to 60c.

Misses' plain White Lisle Hose, self-embroidered ankle, 40c to 65c.

Misses' White Silk plated Hose, shaped leg, 55c to 85c.

Pure Silk Hose, $2.00 to $2.75.

Misses' White Ribbed Silk Hose, 70c to 95c.

Boys' Black Cotton Stockings, 10c to $1.15 a pair.

Boys' Black Silk Stockings—according to size, $1.10 to $3.25.

Boys' or Girls' White Cotton Gloves, 12½c.

Boys' or Girls' White Lisle Gloves, 25c and 50c.

Girls' White Silk Gloves, 50c.

Girls' White Kid Gloves, $1.00.

Misses' and Children's White Kid Slippers—single strap fastening, all sizes, $1.10 to $2.00.

Specially good ones, $1.25 and $1.50.

Boys' Black Dress Shoes—all leathers and popular lasts, $2.00 to $3.50.

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COURT REVIEW IS FAVORED BY MOST

Senator Knox's Views on Railroad Rate Bill Coincided in by Nearly All But Dolliver.

MORE SENATE DISCUSSION

SPECIAL TELEGRAM FROM L. W. STRAYER, Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, March 19.—The lines of demarcation that have separated the various factions in the senate on the railroad rate bill are gradually disappearing and the prospects are that a great majority of the senators will soon find common ground. The court review amendment proposed by Senator Knox, which has been the chief issue, is now pretty generally accepted and bids fair to go into the bill substantially as written by Mr. Knox.

Today, while making a speech on the floor of the senate, Senator Bailey was asked by Senator Aldrich if he did not believe a provision for court review of the findings of the interstate commerce commission should be incorporated in the bill. Br. Bailey replied unhesitatingly that he did so believe. He said he never adheres to any policy that did not grant every man, whoever he might be, his day in court. This statement, coming from the floor leader of the Democrats, was significant.

It was stated today by a senator that at the Democratic conference held yesterday at the residence of Senator Newlands, it was found to be the almost unanimous sentiment of the minority senators that such a provision should go into the bill. Upon the same authority it was stated that President Roosevelt had let it be unedrstood that he would not oppose such an amendment.

Dolliver Stands Alone.

This leaves Senator Dolliver standing alone practically, against a court review provision. He has fought for the Hepburn bill unamended from the start, and his friends believe he will hesitate now to yield on this point, lest it may injure him politically at home. Mr. Dolliver has been at a disadvantage throughout the consideration of this bill by being obliged to keep one eye on the White House and the other on his own home state of Iowa, where Gov. Cummins, his political opponent, is watching his every move. Mr. Dolliver is a candidate for re-election by the next Iowa legislature.

Senator Dick today made public a copy of the letter he sent to the Ohio legislature in reply to the resolution of that body calling upon the senators and members of congress from Ohio to support the President's railroad rate policy. Senator Dick quotes from the President's message outlining the legislation that is recommended and specifying that the findings of the commission should be "subject to review by the courts." Mr. Dick says that the recommendation, in principle, is in accord with his views upon this important subject. In this way Senator Dick makes it plain that he is favorable to the passage of the Hepburn bill, with the court review amendment.

Three Speeches in Senate.

There were three speeches on the railroad bill in the senate today. Messrs. McCreary, Bailey and Heyburn were the orators. Mr. McCreary announced his determination to vote for the bill, whether amended or not, but said that he would not object to a reasonable provision for the review of the interstate commerce committee's findings.

Four ages of railroad history were distributed by Mr. McCreary. These were the ages of construction, completion, and combination, and the age of rate regulation which he said has now arrived. The right of the interstate commerce commission to fix railroad rates was defended by Mr. McCreary and he argued that the rate fixed should remain in effect until reversed by the court of review. Mr. McCreary said he was not opposed to judicial review of rates fixed by the commission, if the review did not hamper the work of the commission in relieving abuses by common carriers.

Mr. Bailey replied to criticisms of his suggestion for a provision in the bill against the suspension of the commission's orders by courts below the supreme court. He contended that congress had the absolute power to prescribe limitations for the courts which it creates, and cited a large number of decisions in support of his position. He said that a misapprehension existed among some lawyers as to the right of congress to limit the jurisdiction of courts below the supreme court on the ground that congress may regulate the proceedings at law, but could not effect equity proceedings.

Mr. Bailey laid especial stress upon the contention that congress may prescribe the jurisdiction of the subordinate courts which it creates. He declared that unless those courts were vested with greater power than contemplated by the constitution the action could be attacked. Such an attack could not prevail in case of the limitation of such powers within the constitution. He said that the supreme court had rejected the argument that the lower courts have inherent power.

WANT A MILLION FOR POSTOFFICE

Pittsburgh Congressmen Refuse to Compromise on a $500,000 Appropriation.

PREFER NOTHING INSTEAD

SPECIAL TELEGRAM FROM L. W. STRAYER, Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, March 19.—No compromise; either enough money for a site for a new postoffice building for Pittsburgh, or nothing. That is the attitude of the Pittsburgh members of congress on the postoffice proposition. Today it was reported that several of the western members of the public committee on public buildings and grounds were in favor of a compromise for Pittsburgh, providing for an appropriation of $500,000 with which to build an addition to the present building.

But Representatives Dalzell, Burke and Barchfeld are unanimously opposed to any compromise. They believe Pittsburgh has made out a good case and has shown the absolute need of a new postoffice and they see no reason why the government should not provide it. Rather than try to patch up the present building they would prefer to wait a year or two longer and get an appropriation that will build such a postoffice as the needs of the city demand. Mr. Burke, the author of the bill to give Pittsburgh a new postoffice, when seen this evening concerning the rumor of compromise, said:

Burke Refuses Nothing to $500,000.

"I have too much faith in the sound judgment and the sense of fairness of the committee to believe they will listen to such a proposition. Those members who went to Pittsburgh and investigated the conditions there came away convinced that the city was in urgent need of a new building, a postoffice to be used for that purpose solely and one that would give room and facilities for handling the business. Therefore I cannot believe that they would consent to a compromise which they must know would not meet the situation and which would not at least more than temporarily postpone the necessity for putting up a new postoffice.

"But if it should come to an issue where we would have to accept $500,000 for an addition to the present building or nothing, then I would take nothing. I would rather not have any appropriation at this time and take chances on getting it in the near future, than to consent to a plan to patch up the present building. What we want now is a minimum appropriation of $1,000,000 for a site and we will do everything in our power to get it. But we will not compromise on half that sum for extensions to the present building."

Barchfeld Will Not Consent.

"We must have the million for a site, or nothing" said Representative A. J. Barchfeld, when asked his opinion on the subject.

"I do not believe the committee will ask us to compromise on a sum for extending the present building, but if they do, then I will not consent to accepting it. The present building is not only inadequate, but it is unsanitary and unhygienic. From a medical standpoint it should be condemned. It is a constant menace to the health of the men who are employed there.

"When the postoffice appropriation bill comes before the house, I will offer an amendment providing for an increase in the force of the men who take care of the Pittsburgh federal building. The custodian now has only 15 people to keep the building clean and the number should be double that. I propose to bring this subject to the attention of congress, for it is a condition that not only exists in Pittsburgh but in other cites. The government does not provide enough men to keep the buildings in good sanitary condition. We want the force doubled in Pittsburgh. The custodian has frequently made recommendations to this effect, but his recommendations have been ignored by the department."

Dalzell of Same Mind.

Represenative John Dalzell joined in the sentiments expressed by his colleagues.

"I cannot believe such a proposition is seriously made by the committee on public buildings and grounds, but if it is I am not in favor of accepting it. We have demonstrated the need of a new postoffice in Pittsburgh and will not compromise on an addition to the present building. I do not think the plan proposed is feasible, anyhow."

When asked if his force had ever investigated the proposition to extend the present federal building, James K. Taylor, supervising architect of the treasury, said:

"We have never gone into the subject at length and I cannot say whether the plan is feasible or not. We made some investigation along this line at the request of Mr. Porter, when he was in congress, but we did not carry it far."

Will Try to Protect Jews.

PAVLOGRAD, RUSSIA, March 19.—A proclamation has been issued by the governor general announcing that any attempts against the property or lives of Jews will be mercilessly suppressed.

ASKS GUARDIAN FOR HER SISTER

Mrs. Hineman Claims Clare E. Sutmeyer May Become Victim of Designing Persons.

DENIES HUSBAND'S CHARGES

Mrs. Matilda E. Hineman of Bellevue has applied to court of common pleas No. 2 for the appointment of a guardian for her sister, Clara E. Sutmeyer, who recently reached her majority, claiming she is weak-minded and liable to dissipate her share of the large estate of her father, or become the victim of designing persons. Mrs. Hineman recites that her sister has been feeble-minded from childhood, and that she is heir to a one-fifth interest in the estate of Henry Sutmeyer of Allegheny, who left several hundred thousand dollars, which is now in controversy in the orphans court, and in the common pleas in the shape of a bill in equity to partition the real estate.

An order was made fixing Saturday, March 24, as a date for a hearing on the petition, and summoning Mrs. Elizabeth Young, and Mrs. Sarah E. Larimer, adult sisters of the girl, to appear at the hearing.

Lydia Hosler filed an answer to the divorce suit of her husband, Edward N. Hosler, in which cruel and barbarous treatment was alleged. She denies the allegations of her husband in full, and states that she expects to prove at the proper time "disgraceful and inhuman treatment" on the part of Hosler.

Alleging that he had defamed his character by entering a criminal information against him before an alderman, which resulted in his confinement in jail, and also in his losing his position with the Pennsylvania railroad, Gust Paros entered suit for $5,000 damages against Louis Rigas.

The application of the "Raidant Society," an organization of Polish residents of the Lawrenceville district, for a charter, was recommended to be granted by the commissioner. The objects of the society is to educate the Poles, teach them the laws of the country and make better citizens of them by celebrating national events.

Attorney J. Charles Dicken wants $5,000 damages from the city for injury to his property by the grading of a street.

George Getting was acquitted in criminal court on a serious charge made by his 15-year-old daughter, who told her mother after her father threatened to kill her if she did so. Getting denied the charge. He is a worker in the Volunteers of America and said he believed his wife led his daughter to bring the charge. Mrs. Getting, he said, had listened to gossips who told her he had considerable money laid away, and that he meant to leave town with another woman. He had contemplated going away, but meant to take his wife with him.

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SHONTS MAY RELINQUISH HIS GOVERNMENT POSITION

Chairmanship of Isthmian Canal Commission May Go to Stevens' Leaving Present Incumbent to Nurse Boils and Run Clover Leaf.

SPECIAL TELEGRAM FROM L. W. STRAYER, Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, March 19.—Reports have gained circulation here that T. P. Shonts, chairman of the isthmian canal commission, will resign his office and that he will be succeeded by Chief Engineer Stevens. The rumor was first based upon an alleged row between Mr. Shonts and Secretary of War Taft, but Mr. Taft readily disposed of that feature of the matter by denying in unqualified terms that there was any trouble between himself and Mr. Shonts. Now, it is said that failing health and a desire to escape the hard work that his position entails will cause Mr. Shonts to relinquish the job, which pays him a salary of $30,000 a year.

Chairman Shonts is now at Atlantic City, where he was ordered by his physician for his health. He has been suffering from boils and nervous trouble, and Secretary Taft insisted that he take a rest.

Recently before the senate investigating committee, Mr. Shonts, interrogated regarding his connection with the Clover Leaf railroad, admitted that he retained the presidency of that road and said his course was approved by the President. He gave the senators to understand that if it came to a question between resigning the Clover Leaf presidency or the chairmanship of the commission, he would have no hesitation in relinquishing the government position. Mr. Shonts explained that he is a large holder of stock in the Clover Leaf, it being understood that his holdings are worth more than $1,000,000. He bought the stock when it was cheap and by improving the property has made it valuable. Therefore, he does not care to endanger it by turning the control over to another man. He has told some of his friends that even should he dispose of his stock he would be obliged to leave the government service as he would have to invest his money in something that would require his personal attention.

A number of senators have shown dissatisfaction with the situation, believing that the canal should not be in charge of a man whose interests are with the railroads. This and other matters may cause him to turn the canal job over to some one else. No official confirmation of the report can be obtained and it is not thought a change will be made in the immediate future, if Mr. Shonts regains his health as he expects to.

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MR. MOODY RAPS MEAT PACKERS

Attorneys Crowd Court Room to Hear Attorney General Argue Government Case.

AFTER MEN NOT CORPORATION

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, March 19.—Attorney-General William H. Moody commenced the closing arguments for the government today in the hearing before the federal court of the immunity pleas advanced by the meat packers. The court room was packed to the doors with attorneys anxious to hear the argument of the attorney-general.

In opening his argument the attorney-general declared that the eyes of the whole people of the United States were directed to the court room in which the present hearing was held, and asserted that the government of the United States was far too much in earnest in the present case to pursue, as the attorneys for the packers have intimated, a senseless creation of the law. He declared that if wrong had been committed the government was seeking the punishment, not of a corporation, but of the living, breathing, human beings who committed the wrong.

The government and the people of the United States, he declared, would be satisfied with nothing less than that. He declared that his appearance at the bar of the court was unusual and almost unprecedented, but the law gave him the right to appear and, after much deliberation, he believed it to be his duty to appear.

His Reasons for Appearing.

The justification for his action, he said, would be found not only in the importance of the present case, but also in the fact that if immunity be conferred on the defendants on the ground on which it had been asked, it would overthrow the legal interpretations of the government for almost 20 years, and would especially cripple the government in its attempts to enforce the laws of the land.

The attorney-general rose to make his argument shortly after Attorney Miller, who represents Armour & Co., had concluded a brief argument on the import of two recent decisions by the United States supreme court.

"I shall spend but little time on the subject touched by my learned brother," said the attorney-general, "I will say little because I care less." Taking up the subject matter of his argument, the attorney-general said:

"I speak under a deep sense of personal feeling because of these prosecutions all over the country. Not long ago, a certain newspaper in New York furnished data concerning the officering of rebates in the sugar refining business. Out of this charges have been grown again against the railroads and some others. They are now being heard by a grand jury and so I am not at liberty to say whether they are true or not. Rebates, it is charged, amounting to hundreds of thousands of dollars were given.

Club the Farmers.

The sugar men went to the railroads and got a club with which they clubbed the farmer of this country into submission, so that the sugar trust may take their property. If the contentions in this case are true these railroads are then immune.

These defendants seem to have a strange aversion to the hearing of any evidence or any testimony on their guilt. They plead that they are not guilty, in answer to the indictment. They do not say here that they are not guilty, but they do say, guilty or not, each of them has received a pardon. It is the claim of each one of these defendants, separately, that he is to have a pardon and upon each one of them rests the burden of proof. They cannot dump all of the evidence and all of their names into a basket and then claim immunity for every one."

After reciting the facts in the filing of the pleas of immunity and declaring that they were plainly an afterthought, on the part of the defendants, the attorney-general continued:

"Each of these defendants must show he was compelled to give evidence against himself with regard to the offense charged against him in this indictment. It is my understanding that the privilege of the witness and the immunity of the witness is personal to himself. He is protected from producing any evidence or giving any testimony which might incriminate him.

Protection of Constitution.

He can take advantage of the privilege of no other person, whether that be an individual or a corporation. It is not a question of whose property the incriminating evidence may be if it is evidence consisting of books or documents. If I have in my possession a book containing an entry verified by my initials which incriminates me, all the powers of the government cannot take it from my possession, because it is my personal right under the constitution that I cannot be compelled to give evidence against myself."

Attorney Miller, representing Armour & Co., asked:

"They could compel you to give it up, couldn't they, if they didn't put you under oath?"

"Of course they couldn't," replied Attorney-General Moody, "because I wouldn't give it up. I don't require a constitution or an immunity statute if I have got it; I hold onto it and until I am brought by process of law into court and then I rely, as I have a right to rely, upon the protection of the constitution. If Mr. Armour, or any one of these defendants, was subpoenaed to appear before the grand jury and produce these books of theirs, the answer that they ought to make is that they were not in their possession. If the books were in their possession, or if they produced them, they could not obtain immunity unless the books they brought in contained evidence relating to some offense of which the person who brought in the books was guilty."

The attorney-general then went on to assert that the pleas in immunity had no standing because of the absence of the slightest vestige of any compulsory process of the law. He said he regarded this absence as decisive of the present case as a matter of law.

Attorney-General Moody will probably speak all day tomorrow.

Urges Harmonious Action.

Von Ogden Vogt, general secretary of the United Society of Christian Endeavor of Boston, addressed members of the Allegheny County Christian Endeavor union in the Central Y. M. C. A. building yesterday afternoon. The speaker explained that all societies under church domination will be asked to affiliate with the Christian Endeavor union and work in conjunction with each other.

Crafton Wants Free Delivery.

Crafton, Ingram, Thornburg and West Pittsburgh want free mail delivery. Data will be gathered and submitted to Congressman Barchfeld. This was decided on at a meeting in Crafton last night. There was no protest against the appointment of Hamilton Kennedy as postmaster.

Mormons Supreme in Six States.

H. P. Freece of Utah, whose parents were Mormons, delivered an address on "The Political Aspect of Mormonism" before the Men's club of Calvary Presbyterian church, Braddock, last evening. He said the Mormons held the balance of power in six of the western states.

Baird Will Remain in Braddock.

Thomas C. Baird, who was elected cashier of the City bank of McKeesport, to succeed W. H. Coleman, mayor-elect, has decided to remain in Braddock as assistant secretary and treasurer of the Braddock Trust Company.

CARBOLIC ACID HIS LAST DRINK

Joseph Smith Tosses It Off and Then Throws Empty Bottle Across the Bar.

IS DEAD WITHIN AN HOUR

Joseph Smith, a river fireman, dramatically swallowed a dose of carbolic acid yesterday in H. M. Bolger's saloon, Market and Water streets. Then he threw the empty bottle across the bar and exclaimed: "That's my last drink." He died an hour later.

Smith, who lived in Glassport, went into Bolger's saloon with George Bowles, a friend, at 4 p. m. Bowles asked him to have a drink, but Smith continued to the rear of the barroom, keeping his back to his friend. When he turned, Bowles saw that his lips were white, as if seared, and that he was slightly frothing at the mouth. "You look as if you had taken poison," said Bowles.

"That's my last drink," said Smith, tossing the bottle over the bar. "It's carbolic acid."

The best remedy was alcohol, but the men in the saloon, not knowing that, administered milk to Smith, but presently he collapsed. He was taken to the Homeopathic hospital and died there. He was 23 years old and unmarried. His friends say he was disappointed in love.

Frank M. Schlander shot himself last night. Schandler, who was a Slavonic banker and steamship agent, lived at 5102 Butler street. He had been suffering from typhoid fever for four weeks. Yesterday afternoon, despite the protests of his wife, he dressed and went out. He returned at 6:30 p. m., refused to eat supper and went upstairs. Presently Mrs. Schandler heard two revolver shots. She ran to the house in the rear, and two men living there accompanied her to her husband's room. Schandler was lying on the bed with a bullet wound in his head. He was still living, but died before Dr. J. M. Kennedy arrived.

Schandler was 32 years old. He and his wife had no children, but Mrs. Chandler has, by a former marriage, two daughters living with her. Schandler came here from Austria two years ago and seemed to have built up a prosperous business.

Mrs. Elizabeth Wadstrom died yesterday while sitting on a bench in the Wabash railroad station, her four children playing at her feet. Her husband, Oscar Wadstrom, had just bought railroad tickets to take the consumptive woman, himself and the children to the country, when told by her brother, Oscar Johnson, that she was dead. The corpse was taken to the morgue and later to the Wadstrom home in West Homestead.

Charles Piloski died yesterday at the Allegheny General hospital. He was a miner, lived at Export, and his back was broken by a fall of slate in the mine of the Westmoreland Coal company on March 5.

Mrs. Minnie Burkhart, aged 40, of 1218 Market street, Allegheny, was found dead in bed yesterday. Heart disease is supposed to be the cause of death.

NITRIC ACID IN MOUTH-ORGAN; CHILD IS BURNED

Nitric acid, spilling from a bottle and getting into the orifices of a mouth organ, caused a strange but happily not serious accident at Braddock yesterday. Katherine, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John McLaren, found the instrument on a shelf and placed it to her lips. At the first inhalation she drew the acid into her mouth and her cries of pain attracted the attention of her parents. It was not known at first what caused the trouble, but a physician who was called, discovered the burns in the child's mouth were caused by acid. Investigation showed that a small bottle of the stuff, which the father kept for marking tools, had overturned and entered the openings in the instrument.

LANDSLIDE THREATENS TO BLOCK ALL TRAFFIC

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., March 19.—(Special.)—A landslide extending an eighth of a mile along the track of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad near Indian creek was discovered tonight by an Italian laborer in time to stop westbound passenger train No. 49 and prevent a wreck. Fifty workmen are at work trying to clear the track, but as fast as the earth is removed from the rails they are covered again by further slides of dirt, loosened by the rains. All trains are running tonight on the eastbound track.

Army Promotions Confirmed.

WASHINGTON, March 19.—The senate, in executive session, today confirmed the following nominations: Col. John W. Bubb, to be brigadier general. The following to be brigadier generals and retired: Col. William L. Stanton, Lieut.-Col. Lorenzo W. Cooke, Lieut.-Col. Joseph M. Califf, Lieut.-Col. Henry S. Turrill, Lieut.-Col. Crosby P. Miller and Lieut.-Col. Charles F. Powell.

Cotton Products Nearly $100,000,000.

WASHINGTON, March 19.—The census bureau today issued a preliminary report on manufacture of cotton seed products during the year 1904, showing a total of $98,407,621 in products, exclusive of $1,444,-356, representing the value of oil, meal, linters and hulls produced by establishments engaged primarily in the manufacture of fertilizers and slaughtering and meat packing.

First Call of Docket Since 1877.

WASHINGTON, March 19.—Chief Justice Fuller announced in the supreme court today that on April 9 there would be a call of the original docket—the first since 1877. The purpose is to require litigants of this class to explain their delay in presenting their cases in the hope that some of them can be eliminated from the docket. The list includes 29 cases.

Opening Is Successful.

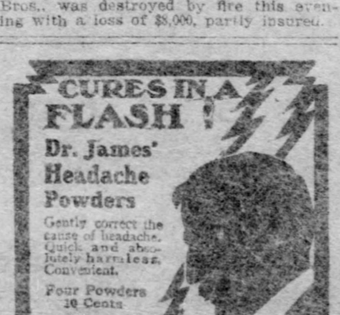
The Pittsburgh & Allegheny Valley Railway Company reported yesterday that the opening of its line between Leechburg, Apollo and Vandergrift had been successful. Fares taken in on Saturday numbered 10,500, followed by 12,600 on Sunday. The road is to be completed to New Kensington, Parnassus, Hulton and Oakmont.

Bids for Stowe Township Bonds.

At a meeting of the Stowe township commissioners last evening bids for a $30,000 bond issue were opened. The bidders were: W. J. Hays & Son, Cleveland; S. A. Kan, Chicago, and Hayden Miller & Co., Cleveland. The award was postponed until the next meeting, owing to a misunderstanding by one bidder as to conditions.

Flames Destroy Historic Barn.

PARKERSBURG, W. VA., March 19.—(Special.)—A barn built 85 years ago from hand-hewn timbers, which has stood ever since on the Henderson property in this county and was owned by Henderson Bros., was destroyed by fire this evening with a loss of $8,000, partly insured.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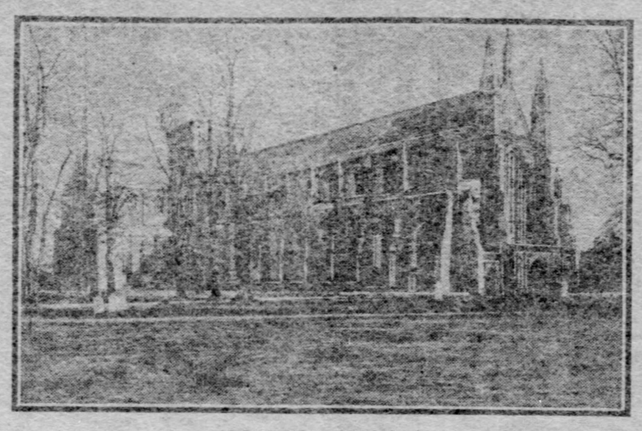
Famous Cathedral Near to Collapse.



Winchester Cathedral.

LONDON, March 9.—Winchester cathedral, one of the most famous and ancient ecclesiastical edifices in England, is in a far worse state of dilapidation, it has just been discovered, than was suspected to be the case when the work of repairing it was begun a few months ago. It is now estimated that it will cost fully $100,000 to put it in such shape that all danger of collapse will be averted.

It is the unstable nature of the subsoil, which consists largely of peat, that has rendered such a catastrophe imminent. In consequence of its subsidence, the south side of the building at the east end, which is built on piles, is badly out of plumb, causing a split in the fabric. Excavations made last week at this place have disclosed a large fracture in the wall below the floor line inside, which widens as it descends. The buttresses have been tested and one of them has been found to be quite disconnected from the wall which it is intended to support. The south wall is merely a double shell, the old builders—apparently there were jerry builders even in those days—having filled up the intervening space with loose rubble. To prevent this wall from falling, massive double shores have been placed against it, and braced together with steel ties.

King Alfred the Great resided at Winchester during his long reign and for two centuries after the Norman conquest it disputed with London the claim to be the capital of England. The Saxons built a cathedral there by Bishop Walkelin, a kinsman of the first Norman king, demolished it and built another on the same site. It underwent many subsequent renovations and additions, the great perpendicular nave, considered the finest of its kind extant, having been completed by the renowned Cardinal Beaufort, who died in Winchester in 1447. The cathedral is 50 feet long, the longest in England with the exception of Canterbury, which exceeds it by only five feet. At one time it contained the bones of many of the Saxon kings, but during the Civil war the cathedral was pillaged by Cromwell's soldiers who broke open a lot of the chests containing these relics and used them for breaking the windows.

TREASURER KOPP WOULD NOT TEMPT BOLD THIEVES

To Prevent Any Burglar's Sudden Elevation to th Millionaire Class Allegheny Official Puts Many Safeguards About City Vaults.

City Treasurer Kopp of Allegheny will prevent the sudden elevation of any of the North Side thieves into the millionaire class. Mr. Kopp is simply protecting the city, and incidentally his own bond of $150,000.

In the Allegheny city treasurer's office are two antiquated vaults in which repose large sums of money. It is not unusual to have $25,000 pushed through the barred windows in the outside office by taxpayers, and during the last week of this month $90,000 a day will be about the average. In the aggregate Treasurer Kopp will collect for the city within the next few weeks $2,200,000, which includes the water taxes. And in the words of the young city official: "You could open these vaults with a crowbar."

Since taking office Mr. Kopp has had the electric lights burning all night in his office. He made arrangements with Superintendent Glenn to have police protection. Four patrolmen report each hour at City hall during the night, at intervals of 15 minutes. Each of these men has been instructed, when passing City hall, to look carefully into the treasurer's office to see that no bold burglars are lifting the doors from the vaults. Capt. Agnew of the night force has been given a key to the treasurer's office, and as he remains at the police station all night, he has been ordered to make frequent visits to the office. He will look under desks and in the telephone booth and then feel the doors of the vaults to see that no powerful electric current has been turned on them for the purpose of melting them. If any burglar gets money out of those vaults he must come better prepared than Cassie Chadwick ever was.

The vaults are 15 years old and of a very ancient pattern. According to Mr. Kopp a good "peterman" could get his hands on the heaps of gold and paper certificates within a few minutes after setting to work on the vault doors. As a further precaution the receipts of the day up until 2 o'clock in the afternoon are sent to the city depositories, so that the balance in the vaults each night will be reduced to the lowest possible amount.

In speaking of the ordinance introduced into councils on Thursday night, which provides for an increase in the treasurer's salary from $4,000 to $5,000, Mr. Kopp said:

"If that measure passes I shall really get no more salary than I get now. When the delinquent tax office was merged into the treasurer's office it was stipulated that the treasurer's bond should be increased from $75,000 to $150,000. The city insists upon a trust company bond, and from inquiry I learned that a bond of that amount would cost me $800 annually. Deduct this from my salary and you will see the increase proposed will just about pay for my bond. I suggested that the salary remain the same and that the city pay the treasurer's bond. Attorneys told me this would not be legal, so I accepted the alternative. The duties and responsibilities of the treasurer have been increased many fold by the addition of the office of the delinquent tax collector, and in view of the increased bond and its cost I do not think I am asking anything unreasonable."

ANOTHER LINE TO PACIFIC INDICATED BY BRIDGE BILLS

WASHINGTON, March 19.—Steps indicating the extension of the lines of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad to the Pacific coast, through South Dakota, Montana, Idaho and Washington were taken at the capitol today in the preparation of bills for the bridging of the Missouri, the Yellowstone and Columbia rivers. Representative Burke (S. D.) introduced the bill to bridge the Missouri river in South Dakota, and stated that the other bills would be introduced in both houses.

Limbs Broken by Bad Fall.

Joshua Heidler, a hostler employed at the new coal tipple of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad at McKees Rocks, fell from the tipple yesterday to the ground, 40 feet below. One leg and one arm were broken. He was taken to the McKees Rocks hospital.

ANDREW HAMILTON SUED FOR NEW YORK LIFE MONEY

Proceedings Instituted to Compel Him to Account for Over a Million.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, March 19.—Andrew Hamilton was formally served today with a summons to answer in the suit now actually begun against him in the supreme court to force an accounting of the sums entrusted to him belonging to the New York Life Insurance Company.

This is the answer of the members of the Fowler committee to Judge Hamilton's charges against them and against other members of the New York Life's board. The summons was served upon Hamilton personally by Pliny W. Williamson, an attorney, of No. 32 Nassau street, late in the afternoon, in the Fifth avenue hotel.

As the service is by summons only, as was the service in the suit brought by the Mutual Life against the McCurdys, Col. Raymond and Louis A. Thebaud, the brief papers revealed no details as to the character of the suit instituted. It is believed, however, it calls for an accounting of all the various sums turned over to Judge Hamilton by the late John A. McCall, which aggregated $1,167,697.18.

Hamilton accepted service good naturedly, expressed no surprise and said he would turn the affairs over to his attorneys.

NEW WOMAN IN SHARPSBURG DOES NEAT BIT OF ROBBERY

The new woman in Sharpsburg has gone farther than her contemporaries in the emancipation business. She has turned robber. Fred Ullman, who conducts a bakery, stepped out for a few minutes yesterday afternoon, leaving his two daughters in charge. A woman entered and asked for an article which was not in stock. She made a pretense of leaving, and supposing that she had gone, the two girls went to the rear of the store. The woman emptied the cash drawer, which contained about $8. The police are trying to find her.

WOMAN THIEF NEATLY TAPS TILL IN SHARPSBURG STORE

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Burglars Rob Five Houses.

During the last two nights thieves have secured $500 in cash and booty in the Herron hill district. They entered the house of Mrs. Elizabeth Douglas, 3317 Madison street, and stole some change and trinkets. The house of E. P. Roberts was robbed of money and jewelry and from that of D. E. Moore $200 worth was taken. Silverware and jewelry were taken from the house of E. B. Hemisphar and Edward Sipe.

Celebrate St. Joseph's Feast.

The Feast of St. Joseph, the patron saint of the United States, was celebrated in the Catholic churches yesterday, high mass being sung. A two weeks' mission will begin next Sunday at St. Mary Magdalene church, Homestead, under the direction of the Passionist fathers. On the same day a two weeks' mission will begin at St. Rosalia's church, Pittsburgh.

Last Week's Deaths Number 157.

Deaths in the city for the week ended March 14 were 157, a rate of 21.94 per thousand annually. The previous week there were 159 deaths, and in the same week last year 136. The principal causes were typhoid fever, 11; diphtheria, 3; pneumonia, 23; consumption, 16; measles, 3 and violence, 9. During the week there were reported 108 cases of typhoid fever, 85 of measles, 15 of scarlet fever and 8 of diphtheria.

Bad News for John Day.

A telegram to the police from Chicago yesterday requested that John Day of 18 South Carson street be notified that his brother Charles was dead. A man named John Dailey was found at 18 West Carson street, who is supposed to be the person sought. He said he had a brother, Robert, a railroad man, not Charles, but that he had not heard from him for a long time.

Will Meet in Debate.

Members of East End and St. John lyceums will meet in debate tonight at Sacred Heart school hall, Center avenue. The subject will be "Municipal Ownership." A return debate will be held at St. John lyceum during April, when the subject will be: "Resolved, That trades unions and strikes are beneficial to the workingman." Admission will be free.

IS DISEASE A CRIME?

Not so very long ago, a popular magazine published an editorial article in which the writer asserted, in substance, that all disease should be regarded as criminal. Certain it is, that much of the sickness and suffering of mankind is due to the violation of certain of Nature's laws, which, if understood and implicitly followed, would result in the prevention of much of the sickness and suffering of humanity. But to say that all sickness should be regarded as criminal, must, on a little sober reflection, appeal to every reasonable and intelligent individual as radically wrong.

Thousands suffer from contagious and infectious diseases most innocently and unconsciously contracted. Other thousands suffer and die of cancerous affections, the cause of which no medical man has yet been wise enough to ferret out and determine, and which can not, therefore, be avoided. Then too, many times stress of circumstances compel people to expose themselves to various disease-producing agencies, such as malaria, bad air in overheated factories, coal mines, and many other situations, and surely those who suffer therefrom should not be branded as criminals.

In so far as disease is contracted or brought on one's self from harmful excesses, over-eating, intemperance and other like indulgencies and debauchery, we think, with our editor friend, that it should be regarded as little less than criminal. On the other hand, we think it would be harsh, unsympathetic, cruel, yes criminal, to condemn the poor, weak, over-worked housewife who sinks under the heavy load of household cares and burdens which she is obliged to struggle along under until she succumbs to the strain and over-exertion, and suffers from weaknesses, various displacements of pelvic organs and other derangements peculiar to her sex.

The too frequent bearing of children, with its exacting demands upon the system, coupled with the care, worry and labor of rearing a large family, is often the cause of weakness, derangements and debility which the mother has to bear and which are aggravated by the many household cares, and the hard, and never-ending work which she is called upon to perform. Dr. Pierce, the maker of that world-famed remedy for women's peculiar ills—Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription—says that one of the greatest obstacles to the cure of this class of maladies is the fact that the poor, overworked housewife can not get the needed rest from her many household cares and labor to enable her to secure from the use of his "Prescription" its full benefits. It is a matter of frequent experience, he says, in his extensive practice in these cases, to meet with those in which his treatment fails by reason of the patient's inability to abstain from hard work long enough to be cured. With those suffering from prolapsus, ante-version and retro-version of the uterus or other displacement of the womanly organs, it is very necessary that, in addition to taking his "Favorite Prescription" they abstain from being very much, or for long periods, on their feet. All heavy lifting or straining of any kind should also be avoided. As much out-door air as possible, with moderate, light exercise is also very important.

It is Dr. Pierce's observation that many housewives suffer much in a weakened condition of their system from too close confinement in-doors. Often the kitchen, where they spend most of their time, is illy ventilated and the bad air and overheating thereof act most unfavorably upon the woman's strength, until she finds herself suffering from various weaknesses attended by backache, bearing-down pains, or dragging-down sensations that are extremely hard to bear. A catarrhal, pelvic drain, of most debilitating and disagreeable nature, is a common symptom of the congested or inflamed condition of the lining membranes of the pelvic organs, attended, perhaps, with tenderness and pain in these regions.

Now, while all the foregoing disagreeable symptoms and sensations will generally yield to the faithful and somewhat persistent use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, to realize the very best results from its use, the patient must, as far as possible, abstain from over-work, worry, and too close confinement in-doors.

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Bear in mind, please, that Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is not a secret or patent medicine, against which the most intelligent people are quite naturally averse, because of the uncertainty as to their harmless character, but is a medicine of known composition, a full list of all its ingredients being printed, in plain English, on every bottle wrapper. An examination of this list of ingredients will disclose the fact that it is non-alcoholic in its composition, chemically pure glycerine taking the place of the commonly used alcohol, in its make-up. In this connection it may not be out of place to state that the "Favorite Prescription" of Dr. Pierce is the only medicine put up for the cure of woman's peculiar weaknesses and ailments, and sold through druggists, that does not contain alcohol, and that too in large quantities. Furthermore, it is the only medicine for woman's special diseases, the ingredients of which have the unanimous endorsement of all the leading medical writers and teachers of all the several schools of practice, and that too as remedies for the ailments for which "Favorite Prescription" is recommended.

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Don't forget that Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, for woman's weaknesses and delicate ailments, is not a patent or secret medicine, being the "Favorite Prescription" of a regularly educated and graduated physician, engaged in the practice of his chosen specialty—that of diseases of women—that its ingredients are printed in plain English on every bottle-wrapper; that it is the only medicine especially designed for the cure of woman's diseases that contains no alcohol, and the only one that has a professional endorsement worth more than all the so-called "testimonials" ever published for other medicines.

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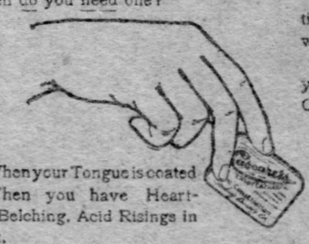

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The Bowel-Muscles can thus, in a short time, dispense with any Drug assistance whatever.

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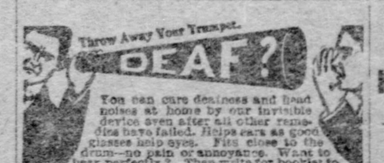
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TONSILINE CURES SORE THROAT.

ARMORY PROPOSALS.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Adjutant General of Pennsylvania, Harrisburg, Pa., until nine o'clock a. m. on March 29, 1906, for the construction of an armory to be located at Pittston, Luzerne County, Pa.

Bids must be placed in separate envelopes addressed on the outside to the Armory Board of Pennsylvania, with location of armory and name of bidder. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the Adjutant General of Pennsylvania, Harrisburg, Pa., and also at the office of McCormick & French, architects, Laning building, Wilkes-Barre, Pa. Bids to be accompanied by a certified check for the sum of five hundred dollars ($500.00). Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders or their representatives in the Reception Room of the Executive Department, Harrisburg, Pa., at ten o'clock a. m. on above date.

By order of the Armory Board.

SAMUEL W. PENNYPACKER, President.
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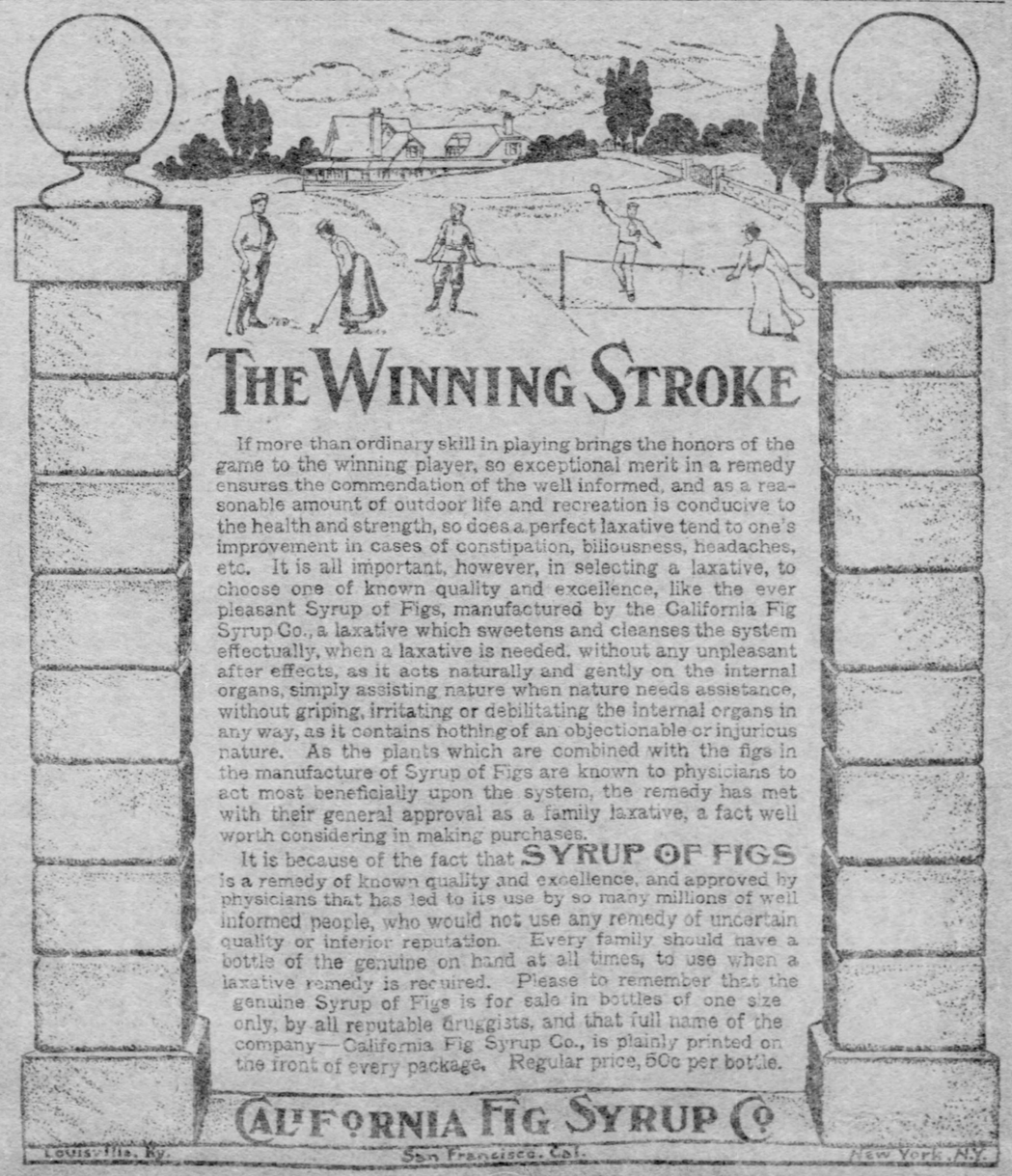
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ALLEGHENY PLAY HOUSE ASSURED

Harry Davis Will Build Theater at Federal and Erie Streets. Plans Already Drawn.

WILL BE VAUDEVILLE HOUSE

The assertion that Allegheny is the only city of 125,000 population in the country that does not have a theater or a newspaper is to be disproven. Harry Davis has confirmed the report which has been circulated for three weeks past that he will build a theater on the North Side. In an authorized statement yesterday he outlined his plans for providing Allegheny with a playhouse which will be a credit to Greater Pittsburgh and will afford to the big population on the north side of the Allegheny river a much more convenient place for amusement-going. The policy of the theater will be in keeping with Mr. Davis' other amusement enterprises, which means that it will be a vaudeville house of strictly high rank.

A few weeks ago Mr. Davis purchased for $300,000 the Kenyon building at Federal and Erie streets, one square north of the Allegheny Diamond. In addition he secured for $50,000 the Harbison lot, 120x185 feet, in the rear, being just across West Diamond street from the Kenyon lot, which is 60x240 feet, and is improved with a five-story brick building. This, it is supposed, is to be used as a site for the new theater. The understanding is that an arcade will be cut through the Kenyon building, which will afford a broad entrance to the theater proper, built on the rear lot, and which will be reached by a covered archway over West Diamond street. Plans for the theater have been prepared by Architect W. G. Kauffman, and the playhouse will be ready for use at the opening of the season next September.

How Mr. Davis Views Conditions.

Speaking of the project last night, Mr. Davis said: "It is true that I have purchased a location for a theater in Allegheny; that the plans are drawn and that I propose going ahead with the erection of the building at once. The theater will be such a one as any city might be proud of—handsome, ornate, commodious and playing a line of vaudeville attractions that will please its clientele. It will be a first-class theater, with vaudeville as its medium. I believe I have chosen the psychological moment for building a North Side theater, for my faith in Allegheny, based on a careful study of the present situation, convinces me of the immediate success of a vaudeville house there.

"Allegheny has never had a theater in the strict sense of the word. There has never been a serious, well-directed effort to provide such an amusement place on that side of the river as I propose to establish. That is one argument which professional people will understand better than the public. But the public will appreciate my faith in the matter when they begin to figure out the immense population that has settled in the suburbs on the north side of the Allegheny river in the last 10 years. They afford a clientele sufficient to support my theater without drawing from the city proper. The new theater will be done in ample time to start business at the opening of the next theatrical season, and in its capacity, furnishment, conduct and line of attractions it will fill a long-felt want."

Business Men Enthusiastic.

The location supposed to have been selected for the theater is central to all the best residence portions of Allegheny and is easily reached by every car line running in from the North Side suburbs or from Pittsburgh proper. The Kenyon building is a very substantial structure, which can easily be made to serve the proposed purpose, and the erection of a playhouse on the big lot in the rear is a matter of but a few months.

Business men are quite enthusiastic over the prospect of holding the thousands of theater-goers on the North Side and believe that such a playhouse as Mr. Davis proposes will be a good payer from the start. Its importance in the event of a Greater Pittsburgh might be considerably enhanced, but there is no doubt in the minds of most business men that Allegheny under present conditions, with her big residence suburbs, will furnish a very profitable clientele for a first-class vaudeville house.

AFTER FREE DELIVERY.

Crafton Citizens Will Gather Data Which Will Show They Are Entitled to It.

At a meeting of citizens in the Second ward school building of Crafton last evening a movement was started looking to the establishment of free mail delivery in the borough. A motion was adopted that the president of council be requested to appoint a committee of citizens to gather data for presentation at the postoffice department at Washington, through Congressman Barchfield. It is expected that this committee will act in conjunction with similar committees from Ingram, Thornburg and West Pittsburgh, with a view to securing free delivery for the entire district in the valley covered by these towns.

It had been announced that a formal protest against the recent appointment of Hamilton Kennedy as postmaster of Crafton would be made at the meeting last night, but the postmastership was not mentioned.

NARROWLY ESCAPE DEATH.

Engine Goes Over Embankment and Turns Turtle in Creek—Crew Leap to Safety.

Engineman Honus Blazier and Fireman J. McKean, in charge of a shifting engine on the Pittsburgh, Chartiers & Youghiogheny railroad, had narrow escapes from death at 5 o'clock last evening, when the engine tumbled over an embankment into Chartiers creek, near Beadling station.

The engine was pulling a train of coal cars from the Witch Hazel mine when the engine and pilot were derailed by spreading rails, tore loose from the tender through the snapping of the coupling and pitched over the embankment into the creek. The engine turned turtle and landed in the stream wheels up. Engineman Blazier leaped as the engine went over and escaped injury. Fireman McKean was on the side next to the creek. He, too, jumped and alighted in the stream, clearing the engine. Beyond a drenching he was unhurt.

SEVERAL DECISIONS BY THE SUPREME COURT

PHILADELPHIA, March 19.—Among decisions handed down by the supreme court today were the following: Hays vs. Colonial Trust Company, C. P., Allegheny, cause continued with leave to move anew to advance hearing. Green vs. Washington Oil Company, C. P., Washington; reargument ordered. Purvis et al. vs. Local No. 500 United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America et al., C. P., Butler; decree affirmed at the costs of appellants.

Sunday Selling Suits.

Harry Moore, director of the department of public safety, directed Police Inspector Lemmel, after a conference last Saturday night, to make information against the May Drug Company for violating the Sunday law in selling on Sunday. The inspector entered the suit yesterday before Alderman F. M. King, charging that the stores at Fifth avenue and Market and in Penn avenue, East End, had sold goods last Sunday.

AT THE PLAY LAST NIGHT

Belasco—Arnold Daly in Shaw Play.

Bernard Shaw, the Belasco programs, for economy of space perhaps, leave off the George, is a master of brilliant persiflage in the inconsequential but witty comedy, "You Never Can Tell." If the audience at the Belasco last night had any hint or suspicion that Mr. Shaw was "kidding" it, there was no quarrel manifested, for the "kidding" process is full of quips that start a laugh involuntarily, and the eccentric social, marital and political philosophy that the erratic Irishman manages to use as a "sinker" for his fun, either goes over our American heads, or else are accepted as a part of the game. "You Never Can Tell" deserves its name. It is difficult at time to tell what Mr. Shaw is driving at. He brings together a separated wife and husband in a dentist's office, after a separation of 18 years. From this point onward he proceeds through three acts to effect a reconciliation. The wife is representative of the twentieth century woman. The husband is of the old, straight-laced school. The three children, two girls and a boy, have been reared by the mother on the twentieth century plan. This gives Mr. Shaw a chance to indulge a few flings at the new woman. The dentist is woven into the story by making him fall in love with the eldest daughter, a girl of sense, but, presumably, taught to regard sentiment as heresy. The dentist breaks down her shaw foll and succeeds in awakening a passion within her to the extent that he kisses her. In the end he wins her.

This quartet, father and mother antipodal in their tastes and at war with each other, and the young dentist and the girl, one an "advanced" young woman, the other an avowed sentimentalist and without a penny to bless himself with, provide the effervescent Mr. Shaw with material for his imaginary "duel of the sexes," which I rather imagine he means to have us believe is the basic philosophy of his little play. But with peculiar daring and singular method the playwright introduces the oddest sort of situations and interprets them by means of the oddest sort of characters. His old waiter, William, his odd barrister, Bohun, are all farcical contributions to a jumble of farcical but exceedingly brilliant and witty talk. Over and above all the rest is Mr. Shaw's disposition to select some character into whose mouth he puts his own pet theories, social and otherwise. For instance, he makes the dentist take a fling at English social life that is satire of the most biting kind. He also gives that character the duty of exposing the weaknesses of the advanced woman's idea of training. All these things afford a certain sort of keen enjoyment. You are made to feel as though you were listening to the demolition of theories and tosarcasms against people who you firmly believe deserve such drubbing, and you are inclined to thank Mr. Shaw for doing it so neatly. The fun o it is, however, that under this sense, and it is this sense that sends you often into laughter, you are vaguely conscious that the author is really poking fun at you.

There are situations that never get anywhere. They are suggested in a whirl of bright dialogue and hinted at in daring quip, but they fall short when it really comes to making them effective. There is really no philosophy in "You Never Can Tell." The author plays with his audience as a cat plays with a mouse, only his purposes are not murderous, but mirthful, and all the time you have an uneasy feeling that he is laughing at you in his sleeve. The comedy takes its title from the wheedling interjection of the old waiter, and Mr. Shaw has whimsically made this old man a sort of arbiter of the fates of the several characters, and to climax his absurdity introduces for no apparent dramatic reason a pompous barrister, who is the son of the old waiter. Everywhere and at all times Mr. Shaw seems to be looking for a nail on which to hang one of his weapons against recognized social and political conditions—in England especially.

But there is real enjoyment in the play as presented by Mr. Arnold Daly's company. Its inconsequential character does not interfere with its wit, which is at times brilliant if at all times farcical. There is no obscenity about Mr. Shaw's humor, whatever there may be on the question of what he is driving at. Mr. Daly plays the impecunious dentist with rare skill, never forcing the lines or situations, but always suggesting in face, voice and movement the underlying quality of superficiality—as though he met the author's spirit and was matching it with a like persiflage of histrionics. This young player has undoubted ability and a stage equipment which he uses with the readiness and facility of intellectual and effective direction. Miss Chrystal Herne plays Gloria, the young woman in the case, with much earnestness, too much sometimes, for there is in some of her moods a tenseness that is so apparent as to suggest the tragic. Next to Mr. Daly, if, indeed, by virtue of Mr. Shaw's erratic distribution of character interest, lies the work of John Findley as William, the waiter at the hotel where three of the four acts take place. Mr. Findley is direct, incisive, amusing, human and philosophic. It is almost a perfect characterization in its appeal both to the eye and to the intelligence. Mary Hungerford must be credited with a bright and natural impersonation of the role of the chirpy younger daughter of the family, while Mr. Joseph Maddern gives excellent assistance in a role of similar spirit. George Farrew is another fine actor who gives point and force to the role of the deserted husband. It is a clear-cut piece of work. Fred Tyler does McComas, the lawyer friend, and Dodson Mitchell the noisy barrister, with equal skill. Isabelle Nrquart plays the wife and mother well, but this graduate from the light opera stage should not ask us to accept a matron with a grown daughter as a fashionably laced picture of the young society woman.

Mr. Shaw you will find admirably amusing, but elusive; Mr. Daly and his company fully equal to the demands laid upon them. "Candida," another Shaw comedy, will be introduced on Thursday evening and at the Saturday matinee.

CHARLES M. BREGG.

Nixon—Maxine Elliott.

Miss Maxine Elliott, as "Jo" Sheldon, in Clyde Fitch's new play, "Her Great Match," was last night's offering at the Nixon. Her play is like all of Mr. Fitch's, full of scenic astonishments, dramatic situations and good clothes. In this particular play it may be said, digressively, the star does not wear all of the aforesaid good clothes. They are very well distributed and are all worn very effectively. But to the play: Mr. Fitch has a Royal Highness in love with a putative American heiress, a stepmother of the same, of the Cassie Chadwick stripe, an English millionaire bower, whose latter day ambition is to brew titles; a son of the King of Eastphalia, in love with the aforesaid heiress; his aunt, another royal highness, sent over by the king to frustrate this marriage; the son and daughter of the brewer, interested in a friendly way with the heiress, and one or two subordinate persons and ideas as structural materials, and with the scenes in and about London, make up his new play. The stepmother and daughter are house guests of the brewer, and all of the scenes and incidents are carried on in his country and town houses. The love making between the heiress and the prince begins promptly and is carried on hotly. The climax is almost reached when she declines to become his morganatic wife, even after paternal assent is extorted, and that climax comes when he resigns the throne and agrees to become an ordinary republican, to become her husband. In the meantime the stepmother, who has been forging right and left, gambling in the stock market, buying jewelry in every London shop, and pledging the jewelry everywhere, bets into a corner, and, to get out, takes a hand in the game. She offers the brewer to induce her stepdaughter to accept the prince's proposal, and to make him, the brewer, an Eastphalian baron if he will give her £40,000, with which to relieve her London and New York necessities. He falls in with her scheme, gives the check for the money, only to stop its payment soon after, with the result that the stepmother bolts to Belgium. In the meantime the princes telegraphs his resignation of the throne to his father, and is accepted by the heiress.

Miss Elliott as "Jo" Cheldon, is after all only Miss Elliott. She attempts ascents to dramatic heights, but never reaches these heights, indeed, rarely gets in sight of them. She works hard and makes honest efforts, but it is not in her power. There are beautiful situations in her new play; there are vast opportunities, and Mr. Fitch in every act gives facilities easy of grasping, to even fair mediocrity, but somehow they are not grasped. She has a good presence, dresses the part, and in this particular nearly every woman, and most of the men, are very tender to her dramatic deficiencies. In the first act, as a fortune teller, she is a ravishing picture in red and black. But there is no mystery, nothing eerie, nothing awesome; she is simply beautiful. She is womanly in the love scenes, but she is not the mistress of romance, and her end of a scene is lop-sided.

Her company is superb. Charles Cherry, as his royal highness, the Prince of Hohenhesteistein, both in dialect and devotion, is irreproachable. He made a distinct impression with every appearance. Mme. Mathilde Cottrelly, as the Grand Duchess Hohenhesteistein, both as a woman and as a diplomat, gave the character a dignity and a delight that charmed all auditors. Mr. Leon Quartermaine, as Cyril Botes, is a most refreshing and charming actor, as is also Miss Suzanne Perry as Victoria Botes. The Augustus Botes of Mr. Herbert Standing was also very well done, as was the respective parts of the other performers. Pictorially, sartorially, in fact, in all scenic details, Mr. Dillingham has staged this performance sumptuously.

Grand—High-Class Vaudeville.

There are two extremes of excellence in the vaudeville bill at the Grand this week. Salerno, the French juggler, represents the extreme skill in this particular business. The wonder worker seemed a little nervous yesterday afternoon and there was in consequence a slip or two, but take his work all the way through it is well nigh perfect and so wonderful in its nerve dexterity as to be puzzling. The other extreme was a wire act by the "Two Meeks," a serio-comic wire and trick performance that exceeds anything of the kind seen here. Between these two "mechanical" acts lies a bunch of pleasing and excellent vaudeville. Hugh Ward, Eva Taylor, Jesse Izett and Dennie Harris are on the bill again and do a little farce called "Chums" which neither in interest nor in acting excellence reaches the playlet of last week. The farce is based on the old theme of mistaken identity and does not offer any special novelty in its complications. The players yesterday were all off key. Miss Taylor displayed her old fault of effusive and gasping articulation to a painful degree. Mr. Ward was uncertain and noisy, while Mr. Harris was humorously stiff and stagey. Miss Izett had the advantage of her associates, for she played naturally and unaffectedly. The audience seemed to enjoy the play immensely, and perhaps when the players tone down their exuberance the piece will be valuable. The Nichols sisters are inimitable "black gals," and their coon act is so richly flavored with the genuine spirit of "darkey land" as to be immensely enjoyable. Therese Dorgeval is a French singing artiste who is not only extremely pretty, but who sings well in a clear soprano and has certain chic forms of expression. Delight Barsch and her "Broomstick Witches" are one of the most agile and tuneful groups of constantly increasing number of "girl acts." The display of femininity is dainty and acrobatic as well as eccentric. The Tobin sisters, who look enough alike to be twins, give a refined musical act. Provolio, the ventriloquist, who looks much like his brother, a former Pittsburgh newspaper man, has a good act. Nat Haines failed to win his audience, though his black face monologue is not bad. Kates brothers, Harry Reed, Adams and Mack, Young and Melville and the cinematograph round out a pretty good bill of vaudeville.

Alvin—Fiske O'Hara.

The green was much in evidence at the Alvin last night when Fisk O'Hara, the talented young Irish comedian, made his maiden bow to a Pittsburgh crowd of theatergoers. Their mutual acquaintance progressed so well that at the end of the second act the handsome star, whose brogue would delight the most loyal son of "Ould Ireland," made a fetching curtain speech which added not a little to his initial popularity. The musical comedy-drama, "Mr. Blarney from Ireland," which was written expressly for Mr. O'Hara's use, might have been any one of a hundred different styles of amusement forms and served the purpose equally well. As it is, it deals with the aldermanic and senatorial aspirations of a few real metropolitan Irish politicians and gives a chance for portraying some election scenes and methods that are quite effective. Through the medley of a political plot there runs the tale of a betrayed girl and the love of the aspiring young Blarney for the daughter of his political rival. Mr. O'Hara possesses a rich tenor voice, which he uses to good advantage in a number of songs that he composed himself. His personality is pleasing and he apparently made long strides in popular favor last night. The company aids him not a little in making the evening's entertainment of the sort to please the lovers of comic life scenes taken from a great city.

Empire—"How Baxter Butted In."

"How Baxter Butted In," with Sidney Toler as Billy Baxter, made a big hit at the Empire theater last night, a fair sized audience witnessing it. It is a drama with a whole lot of good, wholesome fun, in which Mr. Toler and J. E. Nichols, who takes the part of Ezra Quick, a bellboy, easily take first honors. A touch of the melodramic now and then adds to the success of the play. The scenic effects were excellent, the electrical effect in the "Jack-o'-Lantern Boogieman" song being especially good. Miss Mildred Hyland as Nell Dale, the heroine, was admirable. As an emotional actress she showed to the best advantage. Georgine Brandon as Fanny Jarvis also displayed considerable ability in that line. George McCabe as Zenus Meek was very good. Several specialties which were introduced during the play were well received, among them being songs by Mr. Toler, Mr. Nichols, Albert Hall and Miss Louise Valentine. The latter in a little dancing specialty captivated the audience.

Gayety—Parisian Widows.

Down at the Gayety, Ben Welch, with a good lot of entertainers, is the attraction for the week, the company being called the "Parisian Widows" because there is no allusion to Paris or widows in the performance. Mr. Welch couldn't be otherwise than funny if he tried, and much of the time the members of the company and the orchestra do not know what is coming next, and the audience is always quick to catch any fun that is not down in the book. While the Hebrew character is his specialty, he opens with the well-known "Dago" turn which has earned him much credit and tickles the crowd through the first act. Other characters in the burlesque are only to fill in and are drawn from the olio and chorus. Mr. Welch is the "show." In the vaudeville program the Four Carrolls are the big feature in one of the most nimble displays of acrobatics seen here this year. They are worth seeing. Owley and Randall are funny in a juggling act, and Honan and Kearney amused with their comedy turn. The Sisters Valmore are expert dancers and earned several encores. The Musical Keltons perform well in their act, little Miss Kelton making a big hit with wooden-shoe dancing and trip drumming. Ben Welch also appears in the olio in his characteristic Hebrew turn.

Academy—Jolly Girls Extravaganza.

The Jolly Girls Extravaganza company made friends of the Academy patrons yesterday in a good program of regulation burlesque fun and fancy musical evolutions. The "girls" proved to be an attractive aggregation and the funmakers, led by John Bragg and Sam Sidman, easily kept the laugh going when it was their move. "An Honest Politician," the opening number, burlesques up-to-date politics, with graft as the leading theme, of course, and batches of stage money on the side. It was good enough to convulse the audience much of the time. The closing act is laid in Japan, with appropriate scenes and incidents to lend variety to the action. The vaudeville program was of good quality, and includes Amy Hawthorne, coster singer; Leclair and Hart, two strong men; Melville and Ashton, a couple of "cut-ups;" George T. Davis, with songs; the Leffel trio in a rebounding net and bar act, and the "Radium Girls" in a dance in which lights are used in an ingenious and effective way.

Bijou—Melodrama.

If you should want to go to the Bijou this week and seek newspaper advice on the subject, it is only necessary to mention the name of Theodore Kremer to put you next, if you are familiar with the outbursts of that gentleman, who has made a fortune with the rougher tools of play-writing. Mr. Kremer undertakes at the Bijou this week to give us some stage pictures of "Fast Life in New York." The pictures are wholly false, in the first place, and in the second place, to see fast life in New York, or anywhere else, is not a part of the education that even the melodramatic stage might give us (and does, sometimes), that will do anybody any good. Julian Rose, however, does an excellent stage Hebrew in the play.

Interest in the Opera Season.

As the time for the Pittsburgh season of grand opera approaches, evidence of the greatest interest ever shown in a like event is apparent in the way ticket buyers besiege the box office. Notwithstanding the disagreeable weather yesterday renewed interest was shown and the total sale to date very closely approximates that taken during the entire engagement last year. The repertoire for the week is as follows: Monday, "The Queen of Sheba;" Tuesday, "Carmen;" Wednesday matinee, "The Marriage of Figaro;" Wednesday night, "Lohengrin;" Thursday, "La Boheme;" Friday, "Die Walkuere;" Saturday matinee, double bill, "Don Pasquale" and "Haensel und Gretel;" and Saturday evening, "Faust."

Mrs. Fiske Returns.

Mrs. Fiske will play three widely contrasting roles during her return engagement at the Belasco theater next week. On Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday evenings and at the Saturday matinee she will be seen in "Leah Kleschna," the play that packed the Belasco at every performance last October. On Wednesday evening she will be seen in her most noted play, "Hedda Gabler," and Friday evening in "Dolce," a new one-act comedy by John Luther Long, which will be acted in conjunction with Mrs. Fiske's two one-act plays, "A Light from St. Agnes" and "The Eyes of the Heart."

Vaudeville Next Week.

The great Kaufman troupe of bicyclists, numbering eight men and women, Katie Barry, the popular comedienne, late of "Chinese Honeymoon" and "Fantana," Williams and Tucker in "Skinny's Finish," the Camille trio of comedy bar performers, and the Kitabanza troupe of Japanese perch pole and juggling experts, are on the Grand bill next week.

Eva Tanguay.

Coming to the Alvin next week we have Eva Tanguay and her company in "The Sambo Girl." This season has been one continual round of successes. Artistically and financially it is the biggest season this indomitable star has experienced. The book has been rewritten.

TO VINDICATE MISS SMITH.

Charges Against Postmistress at Coal Center Are Declared Unfounded by Her Friends.

WASHINGTON, March 19.—(Special.)—Thomas J. Underwood and William Frazier of Coal Center, are here to urge the reappointment of Miss Jennie Smith as postmistress at that place. Charges have been filed against Miss Smith, which are now being investigated by an inspector of the postoffice, and if they are sustained, she will not get another term. These charges allege neglect of the office and that she has paid money to pensioners without requiring their vouchers. Her friends say the charges are without foundation and are inspired by political opposition.

Representative Sibley has recommended the appointment of F. H. Bartleson as postmaster at Sharpsville. Mr. Bartleson has served two terms in the office.

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The Coffee Debate

The published statements of a number of coffee importers and roasters indicate a "waspy" feeling toward us for daring to say that coffee is harmful to a percentage of the people.

A frank public discussion of the subject is quite agreeable to us and can certainly do no harm; on the contrary when all the facts on both sides of any question are spread before the people they can thereupon decide and act intelligently.

Give the people plain facts and they will take care of themselves.

We demand facts in this coffee discussion and propose to see that the facts are brought clearly before the people.

A number of coffee importers and roasters have joined a movement to boom coffee and stop the use of Postum Food Coffee and in their newspaper statements undertake to deceive by false assertions.

Their first is that coffee is not harmful.

We assert that one in every three coffee users has some form of incipient or chronic disease; realize for one moment what a terrible menace to a nation of civilized people, when one kind of beverage cripples the energies and health of one-third the people who use it.

We make the assertion advisedly and suggest that the reader secure his own proof by personal inquiry among coffee users.

Ask your coffee drinking friends if they keep free from any sort of aches and ails. You will be startled at the percentage and will very naturally seek to place the cause of disorder on something aside from coffee, whether food, inherited tendencies or something else.

Go deeper in your search for facts.

If your friend admits occasional neuralgia, rheumatism, heart weakness, stomach or bowel trouble, kidney complaint, weak eyes, or approaching nervous prostration induce him or her to make the experiment of leaving off coffee for 10 days and using Postum Food Coffee, and observe the result. It will startle you and give your friend something to think of. Of course, if the person is one of the weak ones and says, "I can't quit," you will have discovered one of the slaves of the coffee importer. Treat such kindly, for they seem absolutely powerless to stop the gradual but sure destruction of body and health.

Nature has a way of destroying a part of the people to make room for the stronger. It is the old law of "the survival of the fittest" at work, and the victims are many.

We repeat the assertion that coffee does harm many people, not all, but an army large enough to appall the investigator and searcher for facts.

The next prevarication of the coffee importers and roasters is their statement that Postum Food Coffee is made of roasted peas, beans or corn, and mixed with a low grade of coffee and that it contains no nourishment.

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These are eternal facts, proven, well authenticated and known to every properly educated physician, chemist and food expert.

Please remember we never say ordinary coffee hurts everyone.

Some people use it regularly and seem strong enough to withstand its attacks, but there is misery and disease in store for the man or woman who persists in its use when nature protests, by heart weakness, stomach and bowel troubles, kidney disease, weak eyes, or general nervous prostration. The remedy is obvious. The drug caffeine, contained in all ordinary coffee, must be discontinued absolutely or the disease will continue in spite of any medicine and will grow worse.

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It's only just plain old common sense.

Now, with the exact facts before the reader, he or she can decide the wise course, looking to health and the power to do things.

If you have any doubt as to the cause of any ache or all you may have, remember the far reaching telegrams of a hurt nervous system travel from heel to head, and it may be well worth your while to make the experiment of leaving off coffee entirely for 10 days and using Postum in its place.

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NIXON—THIS WEEK—Mats. Wed. & Sat. MISS MAXINE ELLIOTT In the Clyde Fitch comedy, HER GREAT MATCH. SINGLE SEAT SALE GRAND OPERA SEASON NOW Prices, $6, $5, $4, $3, $2, $1.50. Boxes, $60, $30.

BELASCO Tonight, 8:15. Mats. Wed. and Sat., 2:15. Wed. Mat., 25c to $1. ARNOLD DALY Mon., Tues., Wed., Fri., Sat. and Wed. Mat. "You Never Can Tell." Thurs. Night, Sat. Mat., "Candida." NEXT WEEK—Seats Thursday. MRS. FISKE Mon., Tues., Thurs., Sat. Eves. and Sat. Mat. LEAH KLESCHNA. Wed. Eve., Hedda Gabler. Fri. Eve., 3 1-Act Plays.

EMPIRE THEATER. Up Town. Collins Ave. Reached by All Car Lines. This Week Sidney Toler "HOW BAXTER BUTTED IN" Matinees Wednesday and Saturday. Next Week—The Four Huntings.

GAYETY—MATINEES DAILY. WEBER & RUSH'S Parisian Widows. Next Week—Rose Sydell's London Belles.

AMUSEMENTS.

Alvin Special Price Mats. Tues., Thurs., Sat. Best Reserved Seats 25c & 50c. THIS WEEK. FISKE O'HARA In Mr. Blarney From Ireland. NEXT WEEK—EVA TANGUAY In the Rollicking Musical Farce THE SAMBO GIRL Souvenirs today's matinee.

GRAND CONTINUOUS 1:30 TO 10:45 PM VAUDEVILLE This Week BROOMSTICK WITCHES SALERNO Eva Taylor, Jessie Izett, Hugh Ward, Dennie Harris 15 and 25c 5 ACTS. NEXT WEEK Great Kauffman Troupe, Katie Barry, Williams and Tucker TAKE THE FAMILY.

HARRY W. WILLIAMS Academy THE HOME OF BURLESQUE THE JOLLY GIRLS EXTRAVAGANZA.

DUQUESNE GARDEN ICE SKATING AFT. AND EVE. FUNNY STUNT CARNIVAL FRI. EVE.

IN PERIL OF HIS LIFE

BY EMILE GABORIAU

Author of "THE MYSTERY OF ORCIVAL," "FILE NO. 113," Etc.

(Continued from Yesterday.)

Of course he was not relieved of all responsibility; but the zeal he had shown in preparing the case for trial was no longer requisite. He need not appear at the trial itself; and, whatever might be the result, he trusted that he should now always escape the blame, which would have certainly fallen on his shoulders if the accusation chamber, failing to support the conclusions of his report, had decided that there was not sufficient evidence for the case to go before the jury. He was aware that many people said he had betrayed his friend; that his social relations were well-nigh broken off, and that nobody shook hands with him heartily. But that gave him no concern. After all, what was Sauveterre?—a miserable little town of 5,000 inhabitants'. He hoped he would not remain there much longer, and that a brilliant preferment would repay him for his courage, and relieve him from all foolish reproaches. Besides, once in the large city to which he would be promoted, distance would attenuate and, perhaps, even efface the impression made by his conduct at Sauveterre. All that would be remembered, after a time, would be his reputation as one of those famous magistrates, who, according to the stereotyped phrase, "sacrifice everything to the sacred interests of justice, who set inflexible duty high above all the considerations that trouble and disturb the vulgar mind, and whose heart is like a rock, against which all human passions are helplessly shattered." With such a reputation, with his knowledge of the world, and eagerness to succeed, opportunities would not be wanting to push himself forward, to make himself known, to become useful, indispensable even. He saw himself already on the highest steps of the official ladder—a judge at Bordeau, at Lyons, or even in Paris itself!"

With such rose-colored dreams he fell asleep one night, and the next morning as he walked along the streets, his bearing—naughtier and stiffer than ever—his firmly closed lips, and the cold and severe gleam in his eyes, told the curious observers that there must be something new. "M. de Boiscoran's case must be very bad indeed," they said, "or M. Galpin would not look so proud."

He went first to the private residence of the public prosecutor. The truth is, he was still smarting under M. Daubigeon's severe reproaches, and thought he would now enjoy his revenge. He found the old collector, as usual, among his beloved books, and in a worse humor than ever. Ignoring this circumstance, he handed him a number of papers to sign; and this business being over, he carefully replaced the documents in a large leather case with his monogram on the outside, remarking, with an air of indifference, "Well, my dear sir, you have heard the decision of the court? Which of us was right?"

M. Daubigeon shrugged his shoulders. "Of course I am nothing but an old fool, a maniac," he said angrily; "I give it up; and I say, like Horace's man—

'Stultum me fateor, liceat concedere veris
Atque etiam insanum.'"

"You are joking. But what would have happened if I had listened to you?"

"I don't care to know."

"M. de Boiscoran would have been sent to a jury trial all the same."

"Maybe."

"Anybody else would have collected the proofs of his guilt just as well as I have done."

"That's a question."

"And if I had backed out of the affair I should have injured my reputation very seriously; for they would have called me one of those timid magistrates who are frightened at a trifle."

"That is as good a reputation as some others," broke in the public prosecutor. He had vowed he would answer only in monosyllables; but his anger made him forget his resolution, and he added in a severe tone—"Another man would not have been exclusively bent upon proving that M. de Boiscoran was guilty."

"I certainly have proved it."

"Another man would have tried to solve the mystery."

"But I have solved it, I imagine."

M. Daubigeon bowed ironically. "I congratulate you," he said. "It must be delightful to know the secret of all things. 'Felix qui potuit rerum cognoscere causas.' Only remember you may be mistaken. You are an excellent hand at such investigations; but I am an older man than you in the profession. The more I think of this case, the less I understand it. If you know everything so perfectly well, I wish you would tell me what could have been the motive for the crime, for, after all, we do not run the risk of losing our head without some very powerful tangible reason. What was Jacques' reason? You will tell me he hated the Count de Claudieuse. But is that an answer? Come, dive for a moment into your own conscience—But stop! No one likes to do that. 'Nemo in se tentat descendere.'"

M. Galpin was beginning to regret that he had ever come here. He had hoped to find M. Daubigeon quite penitent, and he was worse than ever.

"The accusation chamber has had no such scruples," he said dryly.

"No; but the jury may feel some. They are occasionally men of sense."

"The jury will condemn M. de Boiscoran without hesitation."

"I would not swear to that."

"You would if you knew who will plead for the prosecution."

"Who?"

"The advocate general, M. du Lopt de la Gransiere himself."

"Oh, oh!"

"You will not deny that he is a first-class man?"

The investigating magistrate was evidently growing angry, though, on the other hand, M. Daubigeon seemed to have regained his calmness. "God forbid that I should deny M. de la Gransiere's eloquence," he said. "He is a powerful speaker, and rarely misses his man. But then, you know, cases are like books, they have their luck or ill luck, habent sua fata. Jacques will be well defended."

"I am not afraid of M. Magloire."

"But M. Folgat?"

"A young man with no weight. I should be far more afraid of M. Lachaud."

"Do you know the plan of defense?"

This was evidently where the shoe pinched, but M. Galpin Daveline took care not to let it be seen, as he replied, "I don't know it; but it does not matter. M. de Boiscoran's friends at first thought of making capital out of Cocoleu; but they have given that up. I am sure of it! The police-agent whom I have charged to keep his eyes on the idiot tells me that Dr. Seignebos does not trouble himself about the man any more."

M. Daubigeon smiled sarcastically, and more with the view of teasing his visitor than because he believed such to be the case, exclaimed, "Take care! do not trust appearances. You have to deal with very clever people. I have always told you Cocoleu is probably the mainspring of the whole case. The very fact that M. du Lopt de la Gransiere will speak ought to make you tremble. If he should not succeed, he would, of course, blame you, and never forgive you as long as he lived. Now, you know he may fail, for 'There is many a slip between the cup and the lip.' And I am disposed to think with old Villon, 'Rien ne m'est seur que la chose incertaine.'"

M. Galpin saw very well that he could gain nothing by prolonging the discussion, hence he merely said, "Happen what may, I am contented with the approbation of my own conscience." Having thus spoken, he hastened to take leave for fear another answer should come from M. Daubigeon. Leaving the room, he remarked to himself, as he went down stairs, "It is losing time to reason with an old fogey who sees in the events of the day only so many opportunities for making quotations."

But he struggled in vain against his own feelings; he had lost his self-confidence. M. Daubigeon had revealed to him a new danger he had not forseen. And what a danger!—the resentment of one of the most eminent men of the French official bar—one of those bitter, bilious men who never forgive. M. Galpin-Daveline had no doubt thought of the possibility of failure, that is to say, of acquittal; but he had not fully considered the consequences of such a check. Who would suffer for it? The counsel for the prosecution first and foremost, for in France the prosecuting counsel makes the accusation a personal matter, and considers himself insulted and humiliated if he misses his man. Now, what would happen in such a case? No doubt M. du Lopt de la Gransiere would hold the investigating magistrate responsible. He would say—"I had to draw my arguments from your part of the work. I did not obtain a condemnation, because your work was imperfect. A man like myself ought not to be exposed to such a humiliation, and least of all, in a case which is sure to create an immense sensation. You do not understand your business."

Such words would be a public disgrace. Instead of the hoped-for promotion, they would bring him exile, to Corsica, or Algiers. M. Galpin-Daveline shuddered at the idea. He saw himself buried under the ruins of his castles in the air. And in dismay he once more went over all the papers of the investigation, analyzing the evidence he had obtained, like a soldier, who, on the eve of a battle, furbishes up his arms. However, he only found one objection, the same which M. Daubigeon had made—what interest could Jacques have had in committing such a crime? "There," he said, "is evidently the weak part of the armor; and I should do well to point it out to M. de la Gransiere. Jacques' counsel are capable of making that the turning point of their plea."

And, in spite of all he had said to M. Daubigeon, he was very much afraid of the counsel for the defense, knew perfectly well the prestige which M. Magloire derived from his integrity and disinterestedness. It was no secret to him that a cause which M. Magloire espoused was at once considered a good one: for people said of him—"He may be mistaken; but whatever he says he believes." Hence he was bound to have a powerful influence, not on the judges who came into court with well-established opinions, but with the jurymen who would be under the influence of the moment, and might be carried off by the eloquence of a speech. It is true, M. Magloire did not possess that burning eloquence which thrills a crowd; but M. Folgat possessed it, and in an uncommon degree. M. Galpin-Daveline had made inquiries; and one of his Paris friends had written to him, "Mistrust Folgat. He is a far more dangerous logician than Lachaud, and possesses the same skill in troubling the consciences of jurymen, in moving them, in drawing tears from them, and forcing them into an acquittal. Mind, especially, any incidents that may arise during the trial; for he has always some kind of surprise in reserve."

"These are my adversaries," thought M. Galpin. "What surprise. I wonder, is there in store for me? Have they really given up all idea of using Cocoleu?"

He had no reason for mistrusting his agent; and yet his apprehensions became so serious, that he went out of his way to look in at the hospital. The lady superior received him, as a matter of course, with all the signs of profound respect; and when he inquired after Cocoleu, she added, "Would you like to see him?"

(To be Continued Tomorrow.)

LONG SERVICE TO BE REWARDED

MAJ. GEN. H. C. CORBIN.

WASHINGTON, March 19.—The house today reached a compromise on the question of abolishing the grade of lieutenant general in the army, but providing that it shall not become effective until October 12 next, in order that Generals Corbin and MacArthur may be promoted before their retirement.

NO WOMAN KILLED IN FIRST REPORT

Gen. Wood Indicates That Sensational Slaughter at Mount Dajo Is Work of Imagination.

BLAMES SCOTT FOR BATTLE

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, March 19.—Secretary Taft has received two cablegrams from Major-General Wood, at Manila, relative to the Mount Dajo fight. The first is dated yesterday and reads as follows:

"If more detailed information concerning the facts connected with the Mount Dajo fight is desired I suggest that Major Hugh L. Scott be called upon. He is thoroughly familiar with the situation, having spent eight months in the attempt to get these people off these mountains without fighting."

The Major Scott referred to has been on leave of absence in this country, and has just arrived in Washington in answer to the secretary's summons. He was referred to in some of the Manila cablegrams as having really caused the present trouble at Mount Dajo, by reason of the exercise of too great leniency toward the brigand Moros.

The second dispatch from Gen. Wood is dated Manila, today, and reads as follows:

"Sensational cables sent to the United States relative to the Mount Dajo fight were made up in Manila. There has been no reference in any cable from Mindanao to the killing of women and children. On the receipt of Col. Andrews' condensed report from me in Washington the American newspapers cabled for details. The reporters here had no other information than was contained in my report to Col. Andrews and supplied sensational features."

Secretary Taft expects to go before the military committee of the senate this week and he will, when he appears, have such information relative to the Mount Dajo fight and the condition in that section of the archipelago as can be supplied by Col. Scott and in these cablegrams from Gen. Wood. He will also throw some light on the question of Gen. Wood's mileage when he made his trip last summer from Manila to this country and return, circling the globe in doing so. The substance of the secretary's communication will be comprised in the statement that this trip was made as ordered by the army surgeons. It will also be stated that Gen. Wood returned to the Philippines against the advice of the London specialist who operated on his head.

In the house this afternoon the battle of Mount Dajo, Jolo, was the subject of comment by Gen. Grosvenor of Ohio and Williams of Mississippi. Gen. Grosvenor defended the army. "This gang of Moros," he said, "belong to a class of pirates and professional thieves. They were an organized band of murderers, who never surrender, but fight until the last one of them is killed."

In answer to the recent criticism of Mr. Jones of Virginia that the mountain should have been surrounded and the Moros starved into surrender, Gen. Grosvenor remarked that Mr. Jones was a farmer by profession; that the mountain was 15 miles around, making this sort of siege impossible. "There was only one way to get them out, and that was exactly the plan the American soldiers executed, and the President was exactly right when he telegraphed that it was a 'magnificent feat of arms,'" he added.

Mr. Williams criticised the report of the battle. What had been said about it was based on this report, and should subsequent information present a different situation, of course the criticism based on another report could not stand.

FRANKS OF CONGRESSMEN ARE FOR THEIR USE ALONE

New Postoffice Appropriation Bill Materially Increases the Amount for Rural Free Delivery and Provides for Freeing Mails of Heavy Matter.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, March 19.—The house committee on postoffices and postroads reported the postoffice appropriation bill to the house today. It provides for an expenditure of $101,878,848 for the fiscal year 1907, or $913,221 less than the modified estimates of the postoffice department. This amount exceeds the appropriation for 1906 by $10,351,765.

The bill provides that hereafter no article, package or other matter shall be admitted to the mails under a penalty privilege, unless so entitled under laws requiring payment of postage; and "hereafter it shall be unlawful for any person entitled under the law to the use of a frank to lend said frank, or permit its use by any committee, organization or association, or permit its use by any person for the benefit or use of any committee, organization or association."

Legislation for freeing the mails of heavy matter and for gaining information to reclassify mails, is included in the bill. One provision appropriates $150,000,000 to pay freight for all supplies for the service. These subjects are to be withdrawn from the mails immediately preceding the weighing period. Another provision requires a record from July 1 to December 31, 1906, of all "second-class mail matter received for free distribution, and also at the one-cent a pound rate, so as to show the weights in pounds, respectively by classes of all papers, magazines, scientific, educational, religious, trade journal, agricultural and miscellaneous periodicals and sample copies," etc., and report to congress by February 1 next, together with an estimate of the average length of haul by classes.

The report says this will become the "basis of a proper inquiry either into a change of method of handling the bulky character of second-class mail or possibly a change of rate upon some of the classes of second-class matter."

An appropriation of $28,200,000 for the pay of rural free delivery carriers is recommended. This is $3,038,000 more than the appropriation for the current year. The report says "that with proper litigations and restrictions and without impairment to the service or unfair restrictions to its extension," rural free delivery service will soon reach a normal stage.

Destitute Man Finds Home.

Matthew Murphy, formerly a chainworker of Allegheny, but now without employment or a home, was sent to the city poor farm at Claremont yesterday. The man is destitute and suffering from exposure.

Always Consistent.

McCann's table eggs are consistently fresh 365 days in the year. New store, 413-415 Market St.

"PILENE"
Positively cures Piles. At all druggists.

BELLAMY STORER NOTIFIED TO QUIT

President Removes Ambassador to Austria-Hungary for Neglect of Duty.

WAS AN OHIO CONGRESSMAN

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, March 19.—The name of Charles S. Francis of Troy, N. Y., former American minister to Greece, was sent to the senate as ambassador to Austria-Hungary to succeed Bellamy Storer. Mr. Francis's father formerly represented the United States at the Austrian capital.

The summary removal of Bellamy Storer has created a sensation in both political and religious circles. Mr. Storer was supposed to be one of Mr. Roosevelt's most intimate friends.

Mr. Storer was relieved of his job by cable. President Roosevelt, it is understood, ordered the message sent, after trying in vain for several weeks to secure an answer to an important question which had been forwarded to the ambassador, both by cable and letter, from the state department. It is alleged that for some reason or other Mr. Storer has neglected the duties of his office within the last few months. The most important letters from the President have gone unanswered for weeks, and the office at Vienna has been practically administered by the secretary and clerks of the embassy.

Mr. Storer was recently ordered home on a vacation, it being the intention of the President and Secretary Root to have a heart-to-heart talk with him about his apparent delinquencies. Instead of coming home as ordered, Mr. Storer started on a tour of Egypt, and it was only by the merest chance that the President learned Saturday that he was then at Luxordo. As soon as he found out the location of the ambassador the President cabled him that his successor would be appointed Monday and he need not bother about returning to Vienna to introduce the new ambassador. This last order, which Mr. Storer cannot very well disobey, shows how displeased the President must be.

Unless a retiring diplomat's offense is very grave, indeed, it is the custom for him to remain at his post until his successor arrives. In this case, the new American ambassador to Austria-Hungary will probably be presented to Emperor Francis Joseph by the secretary of the embassy.

Mr. Storer was formerly a congressman from one of the Cincinnati, O., districts. His wife is an aunt of Congressman Nicholas Longworth.

VIENNA, March 19.—Bellamy Storer, the American ambassador to Vienna is at present on a vacation visit to Egypt and no official information that he has resigned his post has reached the embassy. Mr. Storer is expected to return to Vienna in about a week.

NEW MINING MANUAL OUT.

O. F. Jonasson & Co. Publish an Up-to-Date Reference Book.

One of the most useful and convenient reference books on mining and mining stocks available today is that just issued by O. F. Jonasson & Co., brokers of New York city, whose temporary offices, pending their occupancy of a suite in the new Machesney building on April 1, are in parlor D at the Hotel Henry, this city. Its title, "Manual of Copper, Curb and Mining Securities," gives a general idea of the scope of the publication. It was compiled by Joseph J. Bamberger of the Jonasson firm, who is at present in town.

Into the 100 pages of the book has been concentrated a great amount of most valuable up-to-date information. Among the features of the publication are: Suggestions for the transfer of stock; capitalization and dividend records of gold, silver, copper, lead, quicksilver and zinc companies; tables of quotations on the various mining exchanges of the country; detailed data of the important mining companies of the country, including what is probably the most complete manual obtainable of the mines of the Tonopah, Goldfield, Bullfrog and Manhattan camps of Nevada, and tables of transactions in the curb stocks for the year ended December 30, 1905, including railway and industrial securities.

Companies paying dividends and those which have levied assessments are indicated in the lists. In addition to these features of the work, there is a glossary of mining terms, and an explanation of the system of trading on margins.

The little publication will prove a valuable reference book for brokers, speculators and mining men.

With the advent of Malcolm Macdonald, a director in Charles M. Schwab's Shoshone Consolidated mines and his right-hand man in the southern Nevada gold district, into the wonderful new camp of Manhattan in that section, confidence in the future of the claims of the Chipmunk Gold Mining Company, of which he is president, seems to have received great impetus in this city.

The enormous quantity of the most precious of metals that report credits to this vicinity beggars description and requires considerable elasticity of imagination to receive credence.

Social economists are seriously figuring upon the increased cost of living these fabulous finds of gold will result in.

MILLINERY OPENING THIS WEEK

We offset the snow with a host of irresistible special values. Two below tell of the flavor of the others

Imported Flowers

200 bunches of June Rose Foliage, full leaf foliage, June Roses and silk and velvet roses, made in Paris to retail in America for 25c and upward to 50c. Pluck them at your pleasure from the big banks on two tables today at only.. **10c** Bunch

KAUFMANN'S
"THE BIG STORE"

Untrimmed Hats

Most popular hats of the season, made of imitation horsehair and pyroxaline braids, in newest shapes and best colors, the styles everybody will be wearing when Easter Sunday comes. Lines we bought to retail ourselves for $1.98 to $2.25, special today at..... **98c** Each

Many Fetching Models---Two Magnetic Prices

See These Swell Tailor-Mades

At 14.85

And You'll See the Best Suits $22 to $25 Will Buy Elsewhere

THERE are 500 of them, the most of which only arrived in the store late last week. When you come to examine them, you'll wonder how such good weaves could be so charmingly and well fashioned into suits to sell for less than $15. The more searching your examination the better you will like everything about these suits. English panamas, chiffon broadcloths, novelty mixtures, worsteds and serges are the materials. Nobbiest eton, hip length jacket and pony coats are the styles. Skirts in newest circular pleated and kilted models.

The colors are Spring's newest shades of coral, Alice blue, heliotrope, lavender, navy, gray and white and black.

Models of Perfect Tailoring

At 22.50

Suits of a Distinctive Character Well Up to Highest $30 Standard

THE women who wear these can take their place side by side with the women who have paid their dressmakers two and three times $22.50. Every suit possesses that charm, individuality, and dressy air which women of good taste and refinement demand. They're most cleverly fashioned in the newest bolero, pony, eton and hip length jacket styles, many of them exclusively our own models. Made of handsome French broadcloths, chiffon panamas and worsted suitings. In plain colors and most attractive checks, large plaids and stripes.

Hardly any new shade of coral, gray, green, lavender, navy, etc., but what you'll find it in this assortment. Also black and white.

Twenty New Styles of $9 and $10 Walking Skirts Here Today at 6.98

Every one is a most graceful and pleasing model. Made of fine serges, shadow plaids, gray worsteds, English panamas and broadcloths, in all the new shades. All lengths, 37 to 44 inches. Every one a big bargain at 6.98.

Good News of Good Linens

LINENS you can pin your faith to at prices that might well cause knowing women to question the qualities if "The Big Store" didn't stand back of them.

Direct from Belfast come the 100 pieces of splendid Table Damask which regularly sell for 85c yd., will be marked Today..... **50c**

From Germany come 250 dozen Hemmed Napkins, all ready for use. They're well worth $2 dozen, but we've marked them, dozen..... **1.50**

Roller Crash Toweling—A full thousand pieces of eastern made 8c Toweling, Today at, yd..... **5c**

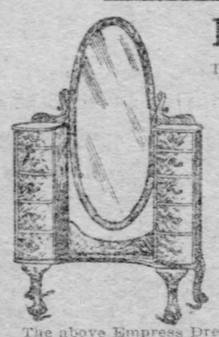
Japanese Drawn Work Scarfs, Squares, Centerpieces, Lunch Cloths, etc.—some 300 pieces, worth up from $1.50, will enliven Today's selling at, each..... **1.00**

Hand-embroidered Scarfs and Squares—Marked at about the same prices ruling in Ireland, where they were made—each... **1.00, 2.00 and 3.00**

Homespun Crash Toweling—Just 100 pieces and as they're the 10c quality, they won't last long at, yd..... **7½c**

MORE MARCH FURNITURE SPECIALS

LIKE the middle course of a banquet the mid-month features of the great March Furniture Sale are the most solid and satisfactory values.



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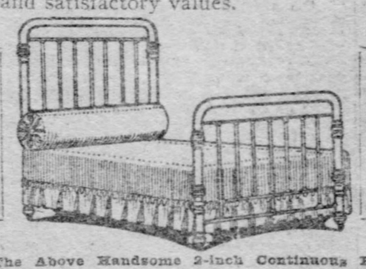


Furniture Bought Now Held Until Delivery Is Desired.

The above Empress Dresser—golden oak or mahogany; finely polished selected woods; ten large, deep drawers; large French bevel plate mirror—value $45.00—March Sale price..... **29.75**

The Above Handsome 2-inch Continuous Post Brass Bed—Five-ply lacquer; seven large fillers; a splendidly constructed and finished bed, having a real value of $38.00—March Sale price..... **28.75**

Other Brass Beds from 15.98 to 450.00.

This Splendid Dresser—Piano polish; golden oak or mahogany finish; best cabinet work; large deep drawers; 24x30-inch French plate mirror—value $30.00—March Sale price only..... **19.75**

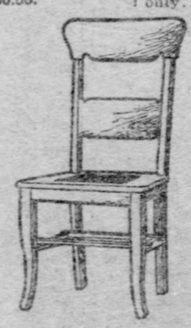
This Handsome Buffet Sideboard—Fine quartered golden oak; regular piano polish finish; two small drawers, one being lined for silverware; two large cabinets below; French bevel plate mirror—value $40.00—March Sale Price only..... **24.75**

Other Sideboards from 15.75 up.

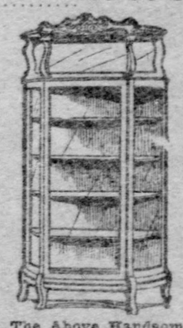
This Fine Extension Table With Pillar Pedestal—Made of selected golden oak, splendidly finished—just 78 of them, and, as they're real $16 values, they'll go quickly... **10.98**

Kitchen Cabinets, 4.49

Have two flour bins, two drawers, one bread board and one meat board; a most useful $6 piece of kitchen furniture for 4.49



Dining-room Chairs—Box frame seat upholstered with genuine leather; highly polished selected quartered oak frame—value $4.00—March Sale Price..... **2.79**



The Above Handsome China Closet—Exactly as illustrated, having bent-end side lights and small cabinet above with French bevel plate mirror back—value $30—March Sale price..... **24.75**

Rugs

Full Room Sizes, for... 4.75

A RARE chance, but there are only 675 Rugs and all of one size—9x12 ft. A New York maker had too many of this size—sold us part of his surplus at a big concession. Yours is the saving—if you come today. The rugs offered at $4.75 are made of good ingrain—the usual $6 quality. The others come as follows:

Best All-Wool Ingrain Rugs, size 9x12 ft. $10 quality for..... **6.75**

Brussels Rugs, 9x12 ft. $14 quality, at..... **8.75**

Brussels Rugs, 9x12 ft., best mill-made goods. $18 values for..... **13.50**

Reversible Smyrna Rugs, 9x12 ft., all wool, $27.50 values for..... **15.50**

Handsome Plush Axminster Rugs, 9x12 ft., regularly $27.50 value for..... **18.95**

Good Wilton Velvet Rugs, 9x12 ft., $28 value—special at..... **22.50**

Royal Wilton Rugs, size 9x12 ft., special $35 value, for..... **31.50**

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BOWLERS ARE GETTING WARMED UP AT LOUISVILLE

COLLEGE AND NON-PROFESSIONAL SPORTING BY RICHARD R. GUY.

NO PRACTICE AT HOT SPRINGS

Cold Weather Prevents the Pirates from Limbering Up at the Park.

HARDER WORK IS EXPECTED

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

HOT SPRINGS, ARK., March 19.—(Special.)—There was no drill at Whittington park today. The thermometer registered 31 degrees at 8 o'clock this morning and the mercury closely hugged the freezing point throughout the day. Capt. Clarke decided that the dangers in practice under such weather conditions greatly outweighed the possible benefits to be derived. He feared the effects of last Saturday's strenuous drill, and but for the fact that Sunday was a day of rest, he would have modified the Saturday conditioning program. All the boys were in good shape today, however, but most of them were ready to enter mild protests again their being ordered out in uniforms.

Soon after the morning drill was declared off, Harry Smith walked into camp. He was heartily greeted by his team mates, and after the first solutions were over, he was besieged with questions concerning his salary arm. He declares that it is in first-class shape, and he anticipates no trouble with it during the series. With the arrival of Smith there can be no more complaint about a shortage of backstops. When Heine Peitz comes Tuesday there will be six catchers here, including Hillebrand and Houston.

The sun shone during the morning, but it had no appreciable effect upon the temperature and there was an unmistakable tinge of disappointment in the voice of the Pirate chief when he announced that there would be no practice in the afternoon. He called his men into conference at 3 o'clock and told them he would expect harder work tomorrow because of the two days' rest. He renewed some instructions previously given, but in some cases ignored, and was particularly explicit in his precautions to the new players concerning baths and violent exercises. About half the players went out to Oakdawn after the conference to see the ponies go.

Chauncey Bill Stewart arrived early this morning and if the weather had been favorable he would have officiated with the indicator at Whittington this afternoon. The practice games there are to be advertised in the local papers and with traction car steamers. Peitz and Karger are expected tomorrow although there was a report this evening that the latter is ill, and will be unable to come for several days at least.

BIG MONEY FOR WRESTLERS.

Montreal Will Give $2,500 for Winners in a Heavyweight Tournament.

MONTREAL, CAN., March 19.—(Special.)—Montreal, Canada, will hold a heavyweight international wrestling championship tournament, and $2,500 will be offered, divided in eight prizes to the first eight men, the first one to receive a silver belt in addition to the prize money. All heavyweight wrestlers wanting to enter had better send in their names, nationality, weight, size and all measurements and photograph to George Kennedy, manager of the Canadian Athletic club, 630 Laugauchetiere st., Montreal, Canada. All expenses will be paid to all wrestlers competing. The prizes are divided as follows: First a belt and $900; second, $500; third, $400; fourth, $300; fifth, $250; sixth, $200; seventh, $150; eighth, $100. All entries must be made before April 1, and the tournament will start on April 16, and will last four days.

MISS SUTTON WILL DEFEND.

Great California Tennis Player Will Go to England to Play for Championship.

Miss May Sutton, the present holder of the all-England lawn tennis championship and a former American champion, will go to London in July to defend her claim to the English title.

Miss Sutton, who is a Californian, won the English championship last season by defeating Miss D. K. Douglass, the defender. English admirers claim for Miss Douglass that had she not wrenched her right arm in practice the result might have been different. Miss Sutton will before sailing take part in a number of eastern tournaments. Her sister, Miss Florence Sutton and Mrs. Bruce, a married sister, will also play in the east.

WIND SHIELD RULE AGAIN.

Should Be Amended to Apply to Past as Well as Future Trials.

The ruling made at the February meeting of the National Trotting association will no doubt be asked to be amended. As it is, the new rule only prohibits future trials for records with windshields, that is, a horse running in front to break the force of the wind. Horsemen think that all previous records made in this way should be taken off the books.

On a still day it is estimated that an unshielded trotter moving at a two-minute gait constantly encounters a pressure of 30 pounds. Some of the windshield records are: Lou Dillon, 1:55½; Major Delmar, 1:59¾; John A. McKerron, 2:01½; Onward Silver, 2:05¾; Dan Patch, 1:56¾; Dariel, 2:00½, and Crescent Route, 2:08¾.

Champions vs. East Liverpool.

Tomorrow night at Odd Fellows hall the South Side basketball team will play the East Liverpool five for the third time this season. The two previous games were won by the South Side aggregation, but the Crockery City players vow they can give the locals a setback. Great interest is again manifested in the two enter men, Keenan and Nickel. In the two games played neither scored, which certainly proves that there will be some excitement when they meet again.

Simco's Right Arm is Broken.

At McKeesport yesterday Jock Simco, the pugilist, stated that he had broken his right arm near the elbow in the third round of his bout with Ned Chernoff at the Pittsburgh Armory Saturday night and that he fought the remaining three rounds with one hand, not knowing the seriousness of his injury. Dr. T. A. Steele corroborates Simco's statement. The McKeesport boy will be compelled to cancel several engagements.

Gunther and Temple Tonight.

NEW CASTLE, PA., March 19.—(Special.)—George Gunther, the New Castle welterweight, and Larry Temple of Pittsburg will go 15 rounds tomorrow night before the Nonparell club of Beaver Falls.

South Side at Newman Tonight.

The champion South Sides will play the fast Newman team at Newman hall tonight. In the preliminary the Newman Reserves will play the Young American Juniors.

AMATEUR BASEBALL.

The Rambler club would like to arrange games with all first-class teams away from home. They want two games for May 30 with an out-of-town team. Either Parnassus or Rochester Lyceum preferred. Address John Fowler, 103 Chester ave., Allegheny, Pa.

East Liberty academy goes into the cage this week and has promising candidates in McAllister, Farmer, Robinson and Horner. The season will open April 14 with McKeesport High school.

The following players of the Kenwood A. C. will please report at the home of T. Perry, 4914 Park avenue, Thursday evening: McMorris, R. McFarland, C. McFarland, Nedley, Schmitz, Williams, Roder, Lawlor, Schaub, Crouse, Kemmerer, Weis, Wangaman, Bennett, C. Hilman and all others desiring a try for the team.

The Oakmont Amateurs are now ready to book games with any 14-year-old uniformed team. The Amateurs made a fine record last year, winning 29 and losing three games, and expect to do the same this year. They want to open the season at home on April 21. Stoner A. C., Pittsburgh Amateurs or Harwoods preferred. Address E. C. Foster, 411 Union station, city.

Groundkeeper O'Maley returned from Hot Springs yesterday. He is here to put the Exposition grounds in shape for the opening game a month hence. He will do nothing to the grounds until the anticipated flood lines come and gone. O'Maley did not see the Pirates in practice, but he was favorably impressed with the appearance of the new men, especially Nealon.

TERRY IS ANXIOUS FOR ANOTHER FIGHT

Will Post $1,000 to Meet Battling Nelson Again in the Ring.

NEW YORK, March 19.—Terry McGovern's manager, Joe Humphreys, gave Terry's version of his recent battle with Nelson. Humphreys accuses Nelson of hugging, wrestling and butting during the fight, and said the rules laid down by Nolan had enabled the Dane to do this with advantage.

He also said Terry was anxious for another match under the old Philadelphia rules; that the National Athletic club was willing to conduct another contest, and that he would post $1,000 tomorrow to bind the match, the money also to go as a side bet. Humphreys' statement follows:

"As long as Nolan, Nelson and the club officials have stated their side of the story, I think it is only fair to McGovern to let the public hear what we have to say. When I made this match for my man the articles were signed for the fight to be held before Bob Deady's club, in the Second Regiment armory. Nolan told me that he would not let the Dane fight before the National club, as they had not adequate accommodations for the crowd that would care to see the bout. We posted our forfeit, as did the club, but Nolan acted in such a manner that Deady tired of his tactics and threw the match.

"The first I heard of the new deal was when Harry Edwards, of the National club, called on me in this city and showed articles signed by Nolan. As long as this was the case, and as I wanted Terry to meet the Dane, I posted my forfeit with the club's stakeholder and signed the new articles. These articles called for Nelson to receive 45 per cent of the receipts and McGovern 25. This was not satisfactory to us, and we made a secret agreement with the club to receive 32 1-3 per cent, which the club paid.

"Everything went along smoothly until a few days before the fight, when Nolan started to make a new set of rules. We then received a message to meet on the day of the match so that there would be no wrangling when the men got into the ring. The meeting was to take place at Edwards' office. When we arrived we were invited to attend a secret conference. This did not suit me for a minute, and I positively refused unless the press was respresented.

"The club wanted to have their press representative represent all the papers and give out the news after the conference. I would not agree to this unless they allowed the New York papers to have men present. After much deliberation they agreed. Nolan announced that unless we agreed to his rules there would be no fight. We argued the question, but the best we could do was to have the rulgs changed that the counting when a man was knocked to the floor would be done by the referee, instead of by a man outside of the ring.

"The rule allowing the referee to step between the boys in clinches I fought hard to have allowed, but on this as well as on every other matter I was outvoted by Nolan and the club officials. It looks to me as if the club had guaranteed Nolan that his man would have all the best of the rules, and rather than have the fight called off we agreed. The advantage of not having the referee separate the men favored Nelson. After three rounds Terry was bumped so badly by Nelson's head that he was unable to see where the Dane was.

"Most of the blame for the clinching is charged to Terry, while we know that the Dane was always hugging and wrestling him.

"The Dane hit Terry some very hard blows, but Terry claims that they were not heavy enough to put him out.

"To prove his claims, I was going to post a forfeit of $1,000 for another match, and am willing to let the forfeit remain as a side bet. The next fight will have to be fought under the regular Philadelphia club rules, that is, the referee is to separate the men in a clinch. We have been notified by the National club that they are willing to negotiate for another contest, but it will have to go by their rules.

"What Terry wants is a straight stand up fight, and he says that he will lick the Dane."

WRESTLING MATCH STOPPED AT THE STROKE OF TWELVE

NEW BRIGHTON, PA., March 19.—(Special.)—As the clock struck 12 yesterday morning, announcing Sunday morning had arrived, Chief of Police Garber leaped into the ring at Central hall and stopped the wrestling bout between Louis Yokel of this place and Ed Adamson of Cleveland, middleweight champion of Ohio. The match was for the best of three falls, but a dispute over the division of the gate receipts delayed the start until 11:30 o'clock. Neither man scored a fall in the half hour left before midnight.

Young Whitmer, a lightweight of Cleveland, and Tom Rees of Monaca gave a clever exhibition of wrestling. The local man was thrown twice in 15 minutes. Jackie Rose and Jimmie Clay, bantamweights of New Brighton, boxed four fast rounds to a draw.

Brownies Beat the Iroquois Jrs.

MONACA, PA., March 19.—The Monaca Brownies basketball team defeated the Iroquois Juniors of Pittsburgh in a fast game here this evening by the score of 26 to 12. The Brownies have now won 10 straight games, and next Monday night will play the Tenth U. P. team of Pittsburgh for the Western Pennsylvania championship in their class. Lineup:

Brownies—28.	Iroquois—12.
Cain	F. Weimer
Bittner	F. Weltz
Carey	C. Hass
Reed	G. Hankins
Karban	G. Rebel

Field goals—Cain 3, Bittner, Carey, Reed 5, Allen, Weimer 3, Hass, Hankins 2. Foul goals—Carey 4, Hass 2. Referee—Mitchell.

Bellevue Defeats East End.

The Bellevue Y. M. C. A. basketball team defeated the East End Athletics Saturday night in a fast game, 29 to 17. Gunn, Lyman and Bole starred for Bellevue and Ament and Bynnan for East End. Line up:

Bellevue—29.	East End—17.
Bole	F. Fillebaum
Barnes	F. Styx
Gunn	C. Bynnan
Lyman	G. Leedy
Naley	G. Ament

Field goals—Gunn 5, Bole 2, Lyman 2, Barnes 2, Bynnan 1, Fillebaum, Ament 2. Fouls—Gunn 3, Ament.

Rag Timers Not in It.

Yesterday on the Maple tables the Avenues put it all over the Rag Times, 100 to 27. The star of the evening was Smith, with 48 balls. Scores:

Rag Times—		Avenues—	
Rectenwald	18	Smith	48
Barrett	9	Brown	27
Elsaman	12	Schlernitzauer	31
Total	38	Total	106

Scratches—Rag Times 11, Avenues 6. Referee—B. Thomas.

Championship Pool Tonight.

In the Allegheny county pool league tonight the schedule is: Olympia at Demmel, Crescent at Union, Glenwood at Garfield, Verweeck at Federal, Friendship at Primrose and Swissvale at Arlington.

The Diocesan schedule is: St. Aloysius (Sharpsburg) at St. Charles, St. Anthony at St. Joseph.

AMONG THE BOXERS.

Young Joe Grim would like to meet the winner of the Lynch-McFadden bout on March 26 in East Pittsburgh.

Jimmy Scanlon would like to meet Ned Chernoff this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

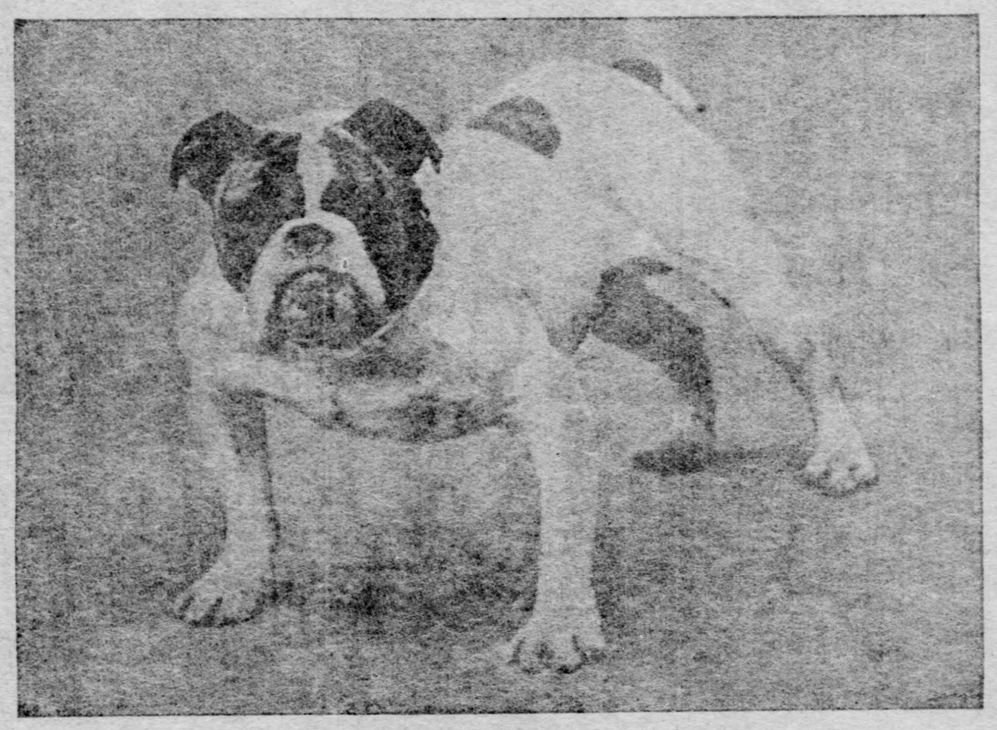
Kid Carter, South Side's best little fighter, will start training at the Beltzhoover A. C. tomorrow night, and will hereafter fight under the club's colors. He will be assisted by such men as Jack McClelland, Frank Morgan and Ned Chernoff, and also by a few South Side boys. Says Carter: "I see in the papers where Mason, manager of Joe Alton, claims his man to be champion in this section at 124 pounds. He has not yet defeated Jack McClelland, Jack Bruce, Billy Melsaacs or myself, who are the only boys in this section to defeat Jack McClelland."

Telephone—Rube Ferns and Matty Matthews met in Keagon hall, Allegheny, on December 22, 1902.

There was no show at Eagles last night on account of a poor house. The main bout was to have been between Jack Bruce and Tom Broderick. There was only $65 in the house. The weather was extremely bad.

Kid Tyler said last night that he would like to see what Joe Alton had on him before allowing him to claim the championship of the city at 124 pounds. Tyler said he would be ready to meet Alton at the first show held in Pittsburgh or Aear it after Saturday.

BEST BULLDOG EVER OWNED IN PITTSBURGH



CH. KATERFELTO.

Dog Show Patrons Remember J. B. Vandergrift's Great Winner.

GETTING WARM AT LOUISVILLE

Centurys of Chicago Roll Up a Score of 2,794—Schuler of Pittsburgh is Out With 581.

METZGER ON EXECUTIVE BODY

LOUISVILLE, KY., March 19.—(Special.)—The second day's play in the national bowling championships saw the Pastimes of Cincinnati, who finished first on Saturday with a total of 2,736 pins, relegated to second place by the Century No. 1 team of Chicago who notched 2,794 pins. Starting with 934 and following with 997 the Chicago men needed only 502 pins to secure first place, while a 900 count would have given them a cinch on one of the biggest prizes. Splits and errors brought them low in the third game, but their total is only one pin smaller than the count made by the Gunthers of Chicago, who won the championship at Milwaukee a year ago, with the second highest aggregate ever made in the five-men event. The best on record is 2,819, by the O'Leary team of Chicago, at Indianapolis, when the loaded ball was in vogue.

At Milwaukee the Centurys landed second money with 2,778. A feature of their score last night was the rolling of young J. Stevens, who averaged 217. C. Carlson, one of the best men on the side, broke his finger in the afternoon while practicing, but could not have done better than the boy who took his place.

The figures of the Centurys will give the succeeding teams something to shoot for, but the field this year is the best in the history of sport and an upset is quite probable.

The squads opened the ball in the two-men event and L. Vandersyde and C. Shogren of Chicago climbed temporarily into the limelight by notching a total of 1,156. Two Louisville men, C. Zink and R. Southard, finished second with 1,121.

Louis Vandersyde, who is one of the veteran players of Chicago, also scored well in the singles, going over the double century mark each time for a total of 643, figures which would have landed him well up in any of the five preceding tournaments.

The winning total last year was 851, by C. M. Anderson of St. Paul. J. Worden, former Illinois state champion, rolled high game for the present tournament, 246, and finished second with 612 pins. E. Blouin, also of Chicago, is third with 606 pins.

The annual session of the congress lasted long enough to permit a motion to adjourn until tomorrow to go through the alleged reason being that Secretary Karpf did not have his report ready. Philadelphia and St. Louis maintained an active canvas throughout the day.

Official ballots for the election of officers at tomorrow's meeting of the A. B. C. were prepared today. Three candidates are nominated for the presidency, Charles J. Kaufmann of Cincinnati, Al Baltz of Philadelphia and Charles Ebbetts of Brooklyn. It is expected that Robert H. Bryson of Indianapolis will be nominated from the floor by the Chicago delegation.

But one nomination has been made for the other offices, the full ticket offered for the delegates' election being as follows: M. A. Phillips of St. Louis, first vice president; C. Anson of Chicago, second vice president; F. W. Gosewisch of St. Paul, third vice president; Sam Karpf of Dayton, secretary, and F. L. Padelsup of Chicago, treasurer.

Ten men are nominated for the executive committee, Jacob H. Haager of Louisville, J. W. McCormick of Toledo, Percy Hills of Cleveland, George A. Metzger of Pittsburgh, R. H. Bryson of Indianapolis, W. A. Terry of Milwaukee, W. V. Thompson of Chicago, William Fette of Wheeling, Ed Meyers of Washington, D. C., and J. C. George of Philadelphia.

The individual bowlers began to play late this afternoon. Among the higher scores are: F. J. Kauffman, Ft. Wayne, Ind., 574; R. M. Blackersley, Louisville, Ky., 571; J. F. Nonneman, Dayton, O., 511; G. Schuler, Pittsburgh, Pa., 581; L. Vandersyde, Chicago, 643; F. Worden, Chicago, 612, Ed Blouein, Chicago, 605; F. Farman, Ft. Wayne, Ind., 530; N. Menadore, Buffalo, 530; J. J. Schneider, Buffalo, 529.

The ten highest five-man teams in the first squad of tonight's play finished as follows:

Century No. 1, Chicago	2,794
Webers, Toledo	2,595
Solo, Chicago	2,560
Carl Richters, Chicago	2,558
Coughlin Stars, Chicago	2,541
Century No. 2, Chicago	2,531
Difficulty No. 1, Belleville, Ill.	2,475
Casino, Buffalo	2,479
Hopkins, Des Moines	2,461
Naglers, Youngstown, O.	2,446

Owing to the report of Secretary Karpf was not ready to be presented, the opening session of the American Bowling congress was postponed until tomorrow.

Norfolk, Va., today entered the field for the next meeting of the American bowling congress. There are now four cities contesting for the next convention—Philadelphia, St. Louis, St. Paul and Norfolk, the three candidates for president, Baltz of Philadelphia, Kaufmann of Cincinnati and Ebbetts of Brooklyn, have kept up a steady fight through their headquarters here. Mr. Baltz has been here two days, Mr. Ebbetts arrived tonight, but Mr. Kaufmann will be unable to leave his home on account of illness. Secretary Karpf of the national association will have practically no opposition for re-election.

The first squad of two-men teams finished this afternoon with the following as the principal scores:

Shigren and Vandersyde, Chicago	1,156
Seink and Southard, Louisville	1,121
Hills and Farman, Fort Wayne, Ind.	1,109
Clark and Longard, Chicago	1,061
Bridges and Plummer, Memphis, Tenn.	1,046
Steinmiller and Bloven, Chicago	1,023
Oelkin and Gregg, Louisville	1,019
Barry and Kimberg, Louisville	1,007
Blovin and Schmidt, Chicago	1,004
Keos and Vondersyde, Cincinnati	1,002

The best scores of the other two-men teams who rolled during the afternoon were:

Reilly and Fischer, Chicago	1,098
F. Worden and Weliand, Chicago	1,087
Ward and McGuire, Chicago	1,078
Senn and Hildebrand, Louisville	1,060
Monsek and Hasler, Chicago	1,054
Schwab and Schupt, Louisville	1,004
Wolfe and Wolfe, Chicago	1,026
Britt and Blasl, Louisville	1,025
F. Hehr and J. Burns, Chicago	1,023
Herwig and Sully, St. Louis	1,023
Goodwin and Stevens, Chicago	1,023
Ueterson and Baumworth, Indianapolis	1,035
Hummer and Clausen, Cedar Rapids, Ia.	1,012
Peters and Bachman, Covington, Ky.	1,007
Loch and Von Albe, Chicago	1,059
Maas and Thitmany, Chicago	1,015

The highest ten five-men teams in the second group tonight were:

Ansons No. 1, Chicago	2,704
Coca Cola, Louisville	2,624
Terre Haute, Peoria, Ill.	2,601
Anson No. 2, Chicago	2,537
Cadillac No. 2, Detroit	2,458
Has Beens, Wheeling, Va.	2,528
Cadillac No. 1, Detroit	2,497
Malt Sinew, Chicago	2,512
Interior, Washington, D. C.	2,538
Bourbon, Bellevue, Ky.	2,582

LOUISVILLE'S PRIZE LIST.

What Amount the Bowlers in the National Tournament Will Get.

LOUISVILLE, March 19.—The executive committee of the American Bowling congress has fixed the prizes in the different events of the national tournament. They are in amount exactly as those given at Milwaukee last year. The prizes are:

No.	5-Men.	2-Men.	Individuals.
1	$450	$250	$175
2	400	225	150
3	350	200	140
4	325	175	130
5	300	150	120
6	275	140	110
7	250	115	100
8	225	100	90
9	200	90	80
10	175	80	75
11	150	70	70
12	140	65	65
13	120	60	60
14	100	55	55
15	55	50	50
16	70	50	45
17	60	50	40
18	55	50	40
19	50	50	35
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21	45	45	35
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40	26	30	25
41	25	30	25
42	25	30	25
43	25	30	25
44	25	30	25
45	25	30	25
46		30	25

Prizes for two-men teams from No. 47 to No. 58 are $25 each, and for individuals $20 each. For both two-men teams and individuals the prizes for Nos. 59 to 68 inclusive are $20 each; for Nos. 69 to 79 inclusive, $15 each. For two-men teams from Nos. 80 to 100 the prizes are $10; for individuals from Nos. 80 to 95 inclusive, $14. For individuals Nos. 96 to 100 are $12 each. Individuals from Nos. 100 to 118 inclusive are $10 each; from Nos. 120 to 140 inclusive, $8; from 140 to 155, $5.

The total prizes for five-men teams amount to $4,662 75; for two-men teams, $2,835; for individual bowlers, $3,789 75. The grand total of prizes is $12,318 50.

BILLY YOURALL HAS THE BETTER OF ED GIVEN

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., March 19.—(Special.)—At the Gaiety theater here tonight Billy Yourall of Mt. Pleasant and Ed. Given of Pittsburgh fought six hot rounds before 800 people. Yourall had the best of it during the first four rounds, but Given braced in the last two and at the end honors were even. There was no decision.

At the close of the mill Joseph Norton of Pittsburgh, manager of Given, challenged Yourall to fight Given 10 rounds three weeks from tonight. Yourall accepted the deft, and also through his manager, Ed. Duncan, issued a challenge to fight any welterweight in Pennsylvania. Yourall is the champion welterweight of the coke region.

As a preliminary John Bird of New Haven and John Mullet of Trotter, went six rounds. The bouts were refereed by Tony Bufano.

JIM ROBINSON, THE FAMOUS TRAINER, DEAD

PRINCETON, N. J., March 19.—James Robinson, Princeton's famous athletic trainer, died at his home here this evening of heart failure the result of a long illness, dating from a severe sunstroke which he sustained last summer. He was born in England 65 years ago and came to this country in 1879 as a trainer of race horses. He held the position of athletic trainer at Harvard, Michigan, Yale and Princeton successively, and has turned out many successful athletes for these institutions.

Alleged Fraud Case Under Way.

UNIONTOWN, PA., March 19.—(Special.)—George H. Proctor of New York is in Uniontown to answer the six charges of false pretense made against him last summer by Uniontown people. The sums he is alleged to have secured aggregate 10,800, all growing out of the organization of the Summit Coal Company of which Proctor was president. Two separate informations were made by E. E. Dilliner, who claims to have been defrauded out of $6,500. The case opened this afternoon.

Four Players for Sharon.

SHARON, PA., March 19.—(Special.)—Manager Yohe of the Sharon baseball team today received signed contracts from Flanagan, a pitcher of Dunkirk, N. Y., who was in the York State league last year; Aaron Kerr of Sharon, left fielder, and Rae Fox, an infielder of Erie, Sellers, with Homestead last year, outfielder, has also accepted terms.

ED GARDNER WINS THE CHAMPIONSHIP

Defeats Poggenburg in the Last Game of the Amateur Billiard Tournament.

CHICAGO, March 19.—Edward W. Gardner of Passaic, N. J., is the Aamateur billiard champion of America. He won the title tonight at the Chicago Athletic association in the final game of the national tournament, which has been in progress for a week. His opponent tonight was J. F. Poggenburg of New York, and the new champion won by the score of 300 to 256. Gardner played five games without a defeat.

Tied for second prize are Calvin Demarest of Chicago, Henry Wright of San Francisco and J. F. Poggenburg, each having won three and lost two games. The ties will be played off tomorrow.

C. F. Conklin of Chicago, last year's champion, finished in fifth place, with one game to his credit and four defeats. Charles S. Norris of New York finished in last position, having lost all five games.

Demarest won the prize for the grand average of 12 3-418. Wright made the high run of the tournament, 127.

The game tonight between Gardner and Poggenburg was fought every inch of the way. Gardner, who is noted for his safety play, was especially cautious, and every time he missed a shot he left the balls in such an intricate position that his opponent was unable to score on several occasions.

All the luck seemed to be with Gardner, while Poggenburg appeared to be playing under an unlucky star. Poggenburg, toward the end of the game, missed several shots that seemed comparatively easy. He stopped playing for five minutes while a new cue was being brought for his use, but it made little difference and he continued in ill-luck throughout the game.

Up to the eleventh inning the score was about even, both men playing a slow, safe game. At this point Poggenburg made a run of 15 and took the lead, which he held until the 18th inning, where Gardner passed him with three points to spare. From this time on Gardner steadily increased his lead until the forty-first period, when he was 60 points to the good.

The next time Poggenburg counted 20, followed it with a 13, and then with 23 points. Each time he fell down on comparatively easy shots and retired to his seat disgusted.

Gardner kept plugging away, scoring single runs each time up until in the forty-second inning, when his turn came he requested that the table be cleared, and a new set of balls be put into play. When everything was ready for him he scored a difficult shot, and then failed on an easy cushion caron. His next time up the best he could do was one.

By this time Poggenburg had crept up to within 50 points of Gardner, and the latter plainly showed nervousness until in the forty-fifth inning he took a chance of a difficult shot to get the balls together. He made the shot and was loudly cheered for his nerve. After this he kept the balls together and soon counted the necessary nine points to run out the game and win the championship. Gardner's average for the game was 6 3-4, and his high run 27. Poggenburg's high run was 45 and his average 5 21-45.

C. F. Conklin of Chicago and Charles S. Norris of New York, who were tied for last place, played their final game in the national billiard tournament this afternoon. Conklin, after a slow and tedious exhibition of billiards, finally won by the score of 250 to 231. It took Conklin 42 innings to run out the game, his average being 7 6-42. His high run was 45. Norris made made a high run of 51 and averaged 5 26-41.

FRED BEELL THE MARK.

Brockton Man Wants to Meet Him and Will Be Accomodated.

CLEVELAND, March 19.—Harvey Parker of Worcester, Mass., who wrestled Ed. Chemyl at the Star theater Saturday night and defeated him in two straight falls, received a telegram Sunday from John J. Little, of Brockton, Mass., that Bannon, now in that city, was willing to meet Fred Beell of Wisconsin for a side bet of $500. Upon receiving the telegram Parker left for Brockton.

While in the east Parker will also go to Worcester and New York city, where there are several matches in view. Lundine, who is now in the former place, has just returned from abroad, and Parker is endeavoring to secure a match with him for Beell. Bothner, the New Yorker, is claiming all kinds of championships, and if arrangements can be made a match will come off between the so-called champion and Beell.

From the message received from Little at Brockton it looks as though Bannon really believes that he has the money which says he can do it. According to Parker, Beell would like nothing better than to meeet Bannon, and if satisfactory arrangements can be completed it is probable that Fred will have his hands full during the next few months.

With Bouldin on the string and the talked-of Bothner and Lundine match, Beell will have all he can take care of, as the Cuban wonder is liable to come out any time with the statement that he is willing to meet Beell. Parker hopes to close a deal with the Brockton man.

Sharpsburg's Two-Man Team League.

A two-man league of 12 teams has been formed on the Rock alleys, Sharpsburg. Games will be bowled Tuesdays and Thursdays of each week. Following are the teams entered: Team No. 1, R. Thompson and Robert Austen; No. 2, Harry Hunter and Noel Whil; No. 3, Charles Jones and Harry Jones; No. 4, Otto Born and G. E. Bock; No. 5, W. E. Wilson and W. Ringle; No. 6, A. H. Krotzer and G. L. Pryor; No. 7, T. P. Barr and Charles S. Bock; No. 8, H. Clause and C. Clause; No. 9, J. J. Bock and H. W. Bock; No. 10, C. Mock and Joe Platt; No. 11, Howard Swindell and W. C. Tibby; No. 12, Dan Sullivan and Frank Riddle; No. 13, W. Cunningham and H. G. Bock. This evening teams 1 and 3, 3 and 4 and 5 and 6 will meet.

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IMPORTANT MATCH ON THE SCHEDULE

Ungers and Unitys Will Meet Today in the Last Series of Games.

Tonight's contest between the Unity and Ungers on the St. Joseph alleys is very important in the Pittsburgh section, as it will decide the championship. Several hundred dollars have been wagered on the result of the match to decide the tie and as to which team will have the honor of playing in the post-season series for the championship emblem. In the first meeting on the Wylie avenue alleys Thursday night the Ungers won two out of three games from the Unitys and are at the beginning of the second series on their home alleys 87 pins to the good. The rule is that in case of a tie, total pins shall count. By the form shown by the Unitys in their first match the odds are that the Ungers will win out at the rate of 5 to 1 on a betting proposition, but as Miles McGrath has been given the option of using his judgment in picking a team for this important contest, there is liable to be a surprise that will be the talk of the town for some time.

The Excelsiors of Lawrenceville were beaten in all three games at Wheeling by Jesse Shaffer's Niagara Stars. The Pittsburgh boys, although beaten, were royally treated by Capt. Shaffer, who entertained the team at his home before and after the match. The Excelsiors had in their lineup H. A. Rupp and Frank Orth. Frank entertained the boys until a late hour with his slight of hand performance. The boys wish to thank Capt. Shaffer for the kind treatment they received. Scores:

Excelsiors—				Niagara Stars—			
Rupp	171	153	178	P. King	211	179	219
Christ	163	154	152	Shaffer	172	172	223
Scott	184	168	210	Watson	168	159	153
Mox	152	171	187	Falck	196	224	199
Lyons	202	160	164	S. King	177	153	154
Orth	171	166	181	Burt	141	179	209
Totals	1043	1001	1072	Totals	1065	1076	1157

After the match Frank Orth and H. A. Rupp rolled a very close and exciting two-man team match, with Capt. Shaffer and P. King, winning all three games by close scores. The first game was very exciting, the Pittsburgh boys winning out by two pins. They won the second by 42 pins and the third game by nine pins. Scores:

Rupp	183	202	178	King	192	179	189
Orth	179	184	232	Shaffer	157	165	212
Totals	362	387	410	Totals	349	344	401

The standing of the teams in the Two-Man league on the Fifth Avenue alleys is:

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
MacPherson-Beil	3	0	1.000
Siber-Walber	3	0	1.000
Selbel-Schaaf	3	0	1.000
Ormiston-Meisner	2	1	.667
Davies-McMunn	2	1	.667
Soost-Riddle	2	1	.667
Gill-Maurer	2	1	.667
Ely-Haymaker	2	1	.667
Trucks-Rousseau	1	2	.333
McKenzie-Smith	1	2	.333
Hambly-Trees	1	2	.333
Maxson-Besselmap	1	2	.333
Burns-Belmont	1	5	.167
Bossler-G. Dimling	0	3	.000
Maratta-Robertson	0	3	.000

In the Diocesan league last night on the St. Charles alleys, the St. Charles won all three games from the St. Henrys. J. Gillig was the star bowler with high score of 234 and best average. The other good bowlers were Paff, Herman and Vith. Scores:

St. Charles—				St. Henry—			
J. Gillig	224	182	166	Meyers	174	128	152
A. Holler	138	159	153	Herman	158	191	167
P. Holler	130	156	129	Schad	180	122	133
J. Glock	144	158	147	Herman	128	148	167
Paff	188	162	173	Vith	209	134	129
Totals	829	827	778	Totals	799	723	748

In the St. Augustine league last night some remarkable games were rolled. The McGees proved to be strong bowlers and corralled all three games from the Eagles. The McGees in their last game chalked up the fine score of 934. Baur was the star with high score of 236 and the splendid average of 194 2-3. The other good bowlers were Schwer, Scholl and E. Turner. Scores:

McGees—				Eagles—			
Schwer	142	171	204	H. Jacobs	152	152	158
Galliott	177	164	172	A. Besselman	180		
Scholl	172	153	202	F. Kaiser		138	194
Baur	236	164	184	L. Nieman	180	146	178
E. Turner	132	190	172	R. Fey	152	154	157
				F. Besselman	155	176	166
Totals	859	842	934	Totals	842	776	842

The Schenleys and Hillsides met in an interesting contest last night on the Penn avenue alleys and the Schenleys won all three games. Hewitt was the star bowler with the splendid score of 225 and the good average of 183. Greb also did good bowling and his good work made his team successful. Scores:

Schenleys—				Highlands—			
Greb	177	147	218	Newcomer	156	186	101
Hardie	160	146		Wolf	124	125	121
Till			196	Hunter	156	169	121
Collius	139	170	180	Matt	167	169	145
Haymaker	137	157	180	Jahn	186	162	127
Hewitt	171	183	225				
Totals	810	763	899	Totals	797	719	620

Following are the results of the two-man league team matches on the Fifth avenue alleys last night:

Mooney	179	145	139	McKenzie	183	187	166
Maxson	187	167	156

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MUDDY TRACKS FOR THE RUNNERS

CLARK DEVORE. BOWLING EDITOR.

RUNNERS GO ON HEAVY TRACKS

Favorites Get the Worst of It on All Courses But at the Fair Grounds.

ALL FALL DOWN AT CITY PARK

NEW ORLEANS, March 19.—The New Louisiana Jockey club succeeded the Crescent City Jockey club in control of the racing at the Fair Grounds today. There were no changes in officers. The track was muddy, but favorites revelled in the going, and only one of them, Cassin Kate, was beaten. Paul Powers has arranged for the purchase of W. Shields' colt, Ben Hodge, provided the horse ships well to Bennings. The price is $8,000. Jockeys Lyne and Redfern, who came to ride in the Crescent City derby, have returned to their homes. Summaries:

First race, 3½ furlongs—Owasco, 109 (Diggins), 7 to 5, won; Nevada, 110 (H. McDonald), 12 to 1, second; Vagary, 109 (Reidel), 15 to 1, third. Time 1:12. Roxelle, Lady Lasca, Pirabella, Rachael Ward, Awakening, Ethel's Pride, Simplicity and Rosa Williams also ran.

Second race, 3½ furlongs—Baneful, 109 (W. McGee), 4 to 1, won; Sanserit, 98 (Obert), 18 to 5, second; Capt. McCormick, 112 (W. Robbins), 20 to 1, third. Time, :41 2-5. Scandal, Blackwater, Blackwell, Bob Augustine and Viola C. also ran.

Third race, 8½ furlongs—Blackburn, 115 (Livingston), 4 to 5, won; Zickabrams, 129 (W. Robbins), 4 to 1, second; Dorothy M., 103 (Obert), 15 to 1, third. Time, :43 3-5. Bitter Sweet, Creole Girl, Lucy Marie also ran.

Fourth race, 5½ furlongs—Stoner Hill, 104 (Obert), 7 to 1, won; Cousin Kate, 104 (L. Smith), 1 to 5, second; Whippoorwill, 112 (Warren), 60 to 1, third. Time, 1:11 1-5. Fenian and Young Reminder also ran.

Fifth race, mile and a sixteenth—Flaviany, 88 (Obert), 3 to 4, won; Paul, 112 (J. Conley), 20 to 1, second; Merry Pioneer, 120 (L. Smith), 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:56. Katherine L., Ed. Early and John Randolph also ran.

Sixth race, one mile—Rella, 114 (Moreland), 3 to 5, won; Little Rose, 92 (Goldstein), 20 to 1, second; King's Gem, 111 (L. Smith), 11 to 5, third. Time, 1:47 3-5. Bitter Brown, Phil Roque and Mazzini also ran.

FAIR GROUNDS ENTRIES TUESDAY.

First race—4 furlongs, selling, 2-year-old maidens:

Glad Pirate	106	Sister Hoffman	101
Charles T. Lee	108	Sanserit	109
Appriso	104	Sam Chilton	99
Gay Cerne	104	Miss Nothing	96
J. J., Jr.	102	Duchess of Montbello	96
May Gilmore	101		
Blackwell	101		

Second race—6 furlongs, selling:

Whorier	116	La Golden	103
Shenandoah	112	Sigmund	107
Lady Henrietta	112	Electric Spark	106
Scrobston	109	Owasco	103
Dan McKenna	111	Gay Adelaide	103
Ad High	100	Envirite	106
Glengallant	100	April Bird	96
Dapple Gold	109		

Third race—1 3-16 miles, selling:

R. F. Williams	111	Stonewall	99
Nameoki	99	Aladdin	99
Automaster	109	Birdwood	95
Burke Cochran	107	Imboden	95
Nones	105	Magic Power	83
Nine	103	Pretty Nellie	81
Light Note	103	Katherine L.	81
Lou Woods	100		

Fourth race—1 1-16 miles, handicap:

St. Valentine	118	Hollowmas	96
Little Scout	104	Footlights Favorite	96
Cigarlighter	98		

Fifth race—6 furlongs, selling:

Van Hope	110	Monis	105
Harry New	110	Little Red	103
Ozontz	110	Potente	102
Ben MacDhui	110	Dance Music	101
Simon Kent	107	Raviana	101
Hudson	107	Trossachs	100
Dromio	103	John Randolph	98
My Gem	108		

Sixth race—1 mile and 70 yards, selling:

North Wind	105	Lemon Girl	100
Water Pansy	102	Tortensia	98
Katie Powers	102	Sea Voyage	94
Jung's Imp	102	Ethel Mark	90
Uncle Henry	101		

Not a Favorite Lands First.

NEW ORLEANS, LA., March 19.—The heavy track at City park today played havoc with the racing card. In each event the fields were cut down by scratches. The favorites were beaten decisively in each race. Summaries:

First, 5½ furlongs—McIntyre, 113 (Nicol), 5 to 1, won; Leo Beach, 110 (Koerner), 5 to 1, second; Merry Leapyear, 116 (Munro), 9 to 2, third. Time, :44 1-5. Larry D., Mamie K., Tom Morgan, Doubt, Capt. Hale, Ben Stille, Prophetess, Spiderweb, Sam Cook, Heirloom, Fanny Mark ran.

Second, 5½ furlongs—Jim Beattie, 114 (O'Mahony), 10 to 1, won; Glyde, 115 (Nicol), 3 to 2, second; Plebeian, 99 (Koerner), 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:10. Martha C., Woodlawn, Prince of Pless, Dr. McCluer, Gray Dal, Clovermook and Bunnolette ran.

Third, 5½ furlongs—Perroniere, 97 (J. Hennessy), 7 to 1, won; Dr. Mack, 102 (Dealy), 2 to 1, second; Arachue, 113 (Troxler), 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:11 4-5. Chief Archibald, Lord of the Manor and Woodahaki ran.

Fourth, 5½ furlongs—Precious Stone, 118 (J. Daly), 9 to 1, won; Meadow Breeze, 113 (C. Morris), 12 to 20, second; Zinda, 112 (D. Rastus), 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:10 3-5. Rockaway, Jack Lavin, Don Carlos and Cull ran.

Fifth, 1 1-16 miles—Creel, 93 (Harrigan), 3 to 2, won; Ruth W., 91 (R. Lowe), 9 to 2, second; Girard, 94 (R. Imes), 8 to 1, third. Time 1:51. Monochord, Morendo and Liberty, Mo., ran.

Sixth, 1 mile—Lieut. Rice, 97 (C. Morris), 8 to 5, won; Devout, 111 (Nicol), 3 to 1, second; The Gleam, 105 (Griffith), 5 to 2, third. Time, 1:44 3-5. Careless and Orient ran.

Seventh, 5½ furlongs—Gold Zone, 119 (J. Daly), 2 to 1, won; Oratorian, 112 (Swain), 11 to 1, second; Telepathy, 110 (Nicol), 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:11 4-5. Pitkin and Ceasa ran.

CITY PARK ENTRIES TUESDAY.

First race—3½ furlongs, selling:

King Leopold	114	Black Flag	108
Tom Dolan	114	Alyth	106
Beau Brummel	111	Emelia	104
Vendido	111	Frank A.	102

Second race—1¼ miles, selling:

Two Penny	108	Liddon	105
Asclepias	103	Dungannon	104
St. Sever	106	Piller	102
Turrando	106	Foxhunting	102

Third race—6 furlongs, handicap:

Airship	109	Lucy Young	97
Chief Hayes	108	Billy Handsel	97
Elliott	107	Anna Day	90
Cascine	103	Husted	87

Fourth race—7 furlongs:

Rickey	117	Kercheval	116
Nonie Lucille	112	American II.	109
Merely Mary Ann	109		

Fifth race—5½ furlongs, selling:

Southampton	113	Taplola	108
Blueblaze	113	Miladi Love	108
Eli Andrew	110	Tennyburn	106
Whiskey	110	Prestige	104
Percy Clark	110	Lidwina	104
Wellesley	110	Hulda	104
Gamar	103	Adare	101
Julia M.	103		

Sixth race—7 furlongs, selling:

Father Tallent	111	Little James	100
Capitana	110	Heart of Hyacinth	99
Jack Adams	108	Tinker	98
Postman	108	Goldie	96
Merry Acrobat	106	Bertha E.	94
Purgurtha	106	Ezra	94
Virgie Withers	103	Malt	92
Susanna Rosamore	103		

Seventh race—1 mile:

Glencara	106	Ann Hill	101
Raindeville	103	Begonia	100
Dr. McClura	103	Galmeda	98
Ruth W.	103	Lady Charade	96
Belch	103		

One Favorite Comes in First.

HOT SPRINGS, ARK., March 19.—Jack Young won the Mountain Valley handicap in a gallop from Marshal Ney and was the only winning favorite at Oaklawn today. Wing Ting, the victor of the colt race, was the surprise of the day. Cloudy and cold; track heavy. Summaries:

First race, 6 furlongs—Bandillo, 112 (Raidke), 6 to 1, won; Pickins, 107 (Cherry), 8 to 5, second; Kuropatkin, 92 (Goerke), 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:19 3-5. Voltage, Footspring, Miss Leeds, Maggie Powers, Economist and Andy Blong ran.

Second race, 3½ furlongs—Wing Ting, 109 (Foley), 4 to 1, won; Miss Sutton, 115 (Raidke), 11 to 10, second; De Oro, 115 (Cherry), 20 to 1, third. Time, :44 3-5. Rifleman and Miss Martha ran.

Third race, 5½ furlongs—Haughty, 102 (Callas), 3 to 5, won; H. L. Frank, 104 (Foley), second; Bendigo, 102 (Sewell), 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:09 3-5. Charlatan and Excitement ran.

Fourth race, 5½ furlongs, the Mountain Valley handicap—Jack Young, 115 (Sewell), 1 to 4, won; Marshal Ney, 117 (J. H. Jackson), 3 to 1, second; Silas Harris, 98 (Callus), 30 to 1, third. Time, 1:05. Three starters.

Fifth race, 5 furlongs—J. W. O'Neill, 110, (Cherry), 11 to 5, won; Ben Lear, 109 (Scoville), 3 to 1, second; All Black, 104 (Downing), 5 to 2, third. Time, 1:03 2-5. Arabelle, Master Prim and Townes ran.

Sixth race, 6½ furlongs—Tristan Shandy, 112 (Cherry), won; Dolinda, 112 (Dennison, 5 to 2, second; Any Race, 105 (Callus, 25 to 1, third. Time, 1:23. Lenator, Amberita and T. J. Powell ran.

HOT SPRINGS ENTRIES TUESDAY.

First race—5 furlongs, selling:

Mary Primp	100	Investor	103
Neahia W.	100	Baly	102
Banner	109	Captain Neroth	102
Lady Waddell	100	King Wilda	107
Fablan	111	Voltage	103
Parkland	111	Golden Russet	104

GAZETTE RACE SELECTIONS.

(City Park, New Orleans).

First race—Tom Dolan, King Leopold, Vendido.

Second race—Dungannon, Turrando, Piller.

Third race—Chief Hayes, Airship, Lucy Young.

Fourth race—Kercheval, Rickey, Nonie Lucille.

Fifth race—Julia M., Percy Clark, Sir Andrew.

Sixth race—Bertha E. Goldie, Merry Acrobat.

Seventh race—Ruth W., Begonia, Glencare.

(Fair Grounds, New Orleans).

First race—Glad Pirate, May Gilmore, Sanserit.

Second race—Dan McKenna, Shenandoah, Whorler.

Third race—Nine, Aurumaster, Nameoki.

Fourth race—St. Valentine, Hollowmas, Little Scout.

Fifth race—Trossachs, Van Hope, Rairana.

Sixth race—Uncle Henry, Kaliq, Powers, North Wind.

Calcutta	111	Lenox	104
Albemarle	106		

Second race—5½ furlongs, selling, 2-year-olds:

Miss Kingcette	110	Miss Martha	105
Mary Welch	110	Louise Whitfield	105
Biawawi	110	Margaret Morris	105
Jardiniere	110	Wilcox	113
Dr. Root	108	San Ardo	113
Irish Brigade	105		

Third race—1 mile and 20 yards:

Luretta	93	San Primo	101
Harmakis	104	Lubin	100

Fourth race—1 mile and 6 furlongs:

Fern Rock	103	Lazelle	108
Fra Filipo	101	Animosity	108
Water Mirror	101	Lucullus	107
Dusky	103	Mirthless	105
Invasion	103		

Fifth race—5 furlongs, selling:

McJetta	109	Young Sater	103
All Black	109	The Saracen	102
Hermoine	109	Little Gregg	106
Martius	111	Sneer	108
Joe Brockel	111	W. G. Williams	105
Canajoharie	111	Knickerbocker	105
Swing Corners	104		

Sixth race—1 mile, selling:

Buxom	90	Henry O.	100
Payne	109	Kate Zitt	98
Pcma	109	Logatee	103
Cadillac	92	Ariadarco	105
Dave Stahl	109	Sambo	107

Strong Favorites Fail to Win.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 19.—A number of strong favorites failed to win at Oakland today. Several close finishes made the sport unusually interesting. The third race proved to be a close contest between Elevation and Labarao, only a neck separating the pair when the former came in a winner. An exciting finish occurred in the fourth race when David Boland outgamed Bucolic and won in the final struggle. Weather cloudy; track good. Summaries:

First, 7 furlongs—Wheatstone, 102 (R. Davis), 6 to 1, won; Riley Dwyer, 109 (Knapp), 13 to 10, second; Pelf, 109 (Locke), 40 to 1, third. Time, 1:30½. Fidia, Novia, Temptation, Angie Studdert, Nothing, Clausulo and Mildred Crist ran.

Second, 4½ furlongs—Blanche C., 106 (Schade), 7 to 2, won; Elota, 106 (Clark), 9 to 2, second; Duke of Orleans, 114 (L. Williams), 3 to 5, third. Time, :56¼. St. Lucar, Ed Treacy, Queen Alleene, Avona, Reba and Gold Heather ran.

Third, 6 furlongs—Elevation, 109 (Knapp), 4 to 1, won; Lisario, 110 (Williams), 15 to 1, second; F. W. Barr, 110 (Fountain), 7 to 2, third. Time, 1:14¼. Two Bills, Wee Lass, Chief Wittman, Lady King, Jillette, Mooropus, Huston and Sainadara ran.

Fourth, 5½ furlongs—David Boland, 106 (Fountain), 4 to 1, won; Bucolic, 106 (Wright), 7 to 1, second; St. Francis, 94 (T. Sullivan), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:07¾. Grasscutter, Cerro Santo, Dod Anderson, Rector, Black Eyes and E. M. Brattain ran.

Fifth, 1¼ miles—Haviland, 102 (Hayes), 6 to 5, won; Ralph Young, 106 (Stewart), 25 to 1, second; Orchan, 107 (Goodchild), 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:58½. Mogregor, Lone Wolf, Liberto, Invictus, Watercure, Jolly Witch and Canejo ran.

Sixth, 1 1-16 miles—El Caut Cap, 111 (Rice), 11 to 2, won; Fisher Boy, 110 (Fountain), 3 to 5, second; Red Light, 102 (Brussel), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:48½. Dorado ran.

OAKLAND ENTRIES TUESDAY.

First race—1¼ furlongs:

Allario	114	Yankee Jim	111
Lord Rossington	114	Lucy C.	111
John H. Sheehan	114	Premium Rose	111
Lossona	114	Doc Craig	111
Arrowmaker	114	Our Anna	111
Palemon	114	Ed. Treacy	111

Second race—1 mile and 20 yards:

Pentagon	110	Jake Moose	102
Watchful	110	Rubinon	102
Fred Bent	107	Rotrou	102
J. K. P.	106	Frank Flittner	100
Royal Colors	106	Tom Roberts	100
Frolic	105	Upper Pod	100

Third race—7 furlongs:

Yellowstone	113	Bonar	107
Bonesteel	113	Lucrece	105
Jake Ward	110	Massada	105
Jarretiere d'Or	110	Tavannes	101
Mimo	113	Lord Nelson	98
Supreme Court	107	Josie's Jewel	90

Fourth race—Futurity course, the Three Cheers handicap:

Tocolaw	118	Don Domo	105
Rubrid	108	Toupee	103
Dr. Gardner	109	Hector	97
Sinner Simon	108	Elevation	90

Fifth race—1 mile:

Martinmas	105	Wexford	101
Gateway	103	Lily Golding	101
Clydeo	104	Phalanx	94

Sixth race—6 furlongs:

Hans Wagner	105	Blue Eyes	101
Delagoa	107	Galvanic	100
W. R. Condon	108	Henry Waite	100
Salable	105	Lotta Gladstone	92
Peggy O'Neal	103	Wrenne	93
Yada	103	Millsong	93

THOMAS GOLD TRAIN.

An Armored Flyer Is Being Constructed With Rapid Fire Guns Mounted.

A new use has been found for automobiles. A Thomas car has been bought for the transportation of bullion in Mexico. The chassis and larger portion of the body are to be of the regular stock model touring car, on which an armored body will be constructed to carry rapid-fire guns.

Yaqui Indians have attacked gold trains with so much frequency while transporting bullion from the mines to railroads that it is considered unsafe to make the attempt without a big armed guard. Mexican Rurales have been unable to cope with the marauders. This armored gold train, as it has been termed, is expected to solve the problem.

HORSE NOTES.

M. P. Wills has sold the black trotter Tattler, 2:16¼, to New York parties.

It is reported that Angie, 2:16½, and Axtell, 2:12, will be retired to the stud.

The mare that raced in 1904 as Mildred is now announced to have been Lady Knapp, 2:06¾.

The New York Road Drivers' association will hold their annual beefsteak dinner on March 29.

The Gentlemen's Driving club of Indianapolis, Ind., is one of the most flourishing organizations of horsemen in the west. There are 150 members in the association and they propose to have a very active season.

Gowdie, 2:07¾, will be campaigned after his stud season, June 1. He is expected to make a 2:05 record this season.

Brennan, b. g., 4, a brother to Driftlet, 2:02, by Moko, will be trained by William Gallop, Cortesville, Pa., this season.

A new half-mile racing plant is talked of just outside of Cleveland, O., and the prospects for its success are very favorable.

D. J. Campau has once more gained control of the Detroit Driving park, and harness racing will be a feature of that place this season.

It has been decided not to race Earl Pointer, the filly that showed a mile better than 2:10 last year. She will be saved over for next year.

C. K. G. Billings owns five colts by John A. McKerron, 2:04½. They are at Cleveland in charge of Doc Tanner, and have wintered nicely.

Among the promising youngsters that George Saunders will have this season in his stable will be the first 3-year-old filly, La Bendle, by Wilark, 2:11½.

It has been decided to hold a harness racing meeting on the Windsor (Ont.) track some time in midsummer. It will be a five days' meeting, with purses of $1,000.

It is reported that an offer was made recently to the owner of Glenwood M., 2:07½, of $25,000 for that horse, but no sale was made, the proposition being refused.

At a fire in Cleveland, O., recently, several valuable trotting horses were destroyed. Among them were Sweetheart, by Butler's Bashaw; Oct. D., 2:29½, by Orphan, and Melville, wagon record 2:27¾.

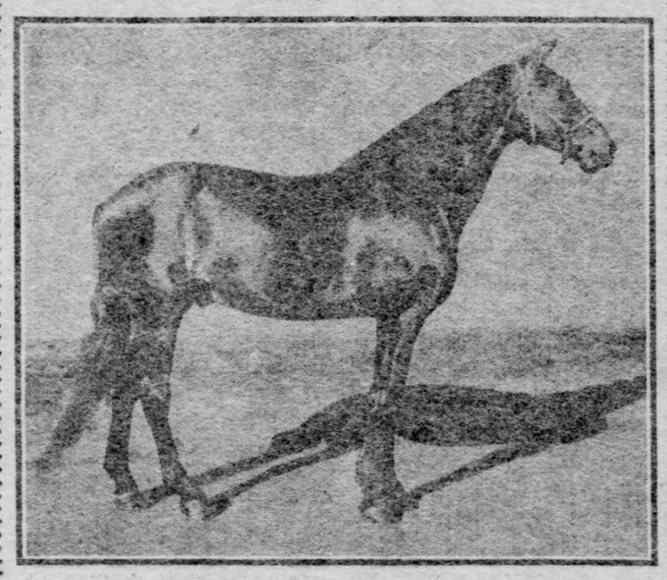
The pacing horse Major Martyr, owned at Peoria, Ill., has been sent to Harry Jones to train. He is now 7 years old. Last season he was not in racing form. As a 3-year-old he showed a mile in 2:09¾.

Dr. D. R. Wineman of Bellefonte, Pa., has sold to W. P. Merrell & Co. of Altoona, Pa., for $1,000 the pacer Frank C., 2:15¾, by Cecilian, dam Effie G. Frank C. started in the 2:20 class last season in 10 races, winning every race. He is expected to get a 2:05 mark this season.

Contagious Diseases Reported.

Nine cases of typhoid fever, four of scarlet fever, 18 of measles, four of pneumonia and one each of chicken pox and mumps were reported to the Pittsburgh bureau of health yesterday.

Goes Fast on Ridge Avenue Snow Speedway



HENRY S. JR., 2:17 1-4

Started in seven races in 1905 and lost one in field which he afterward defeated. Owned by Frank R. Evens. Henry S. is by Col. Kuser, (2:11 1-4) and Nellie Gray, (2:20 1-4.)

POLICE CAPTURE NEGRO IN BARRICADED HOUSE

Darkey With Shakespearean Name Is Taken to Homestead Where He Shot a Companion.

Capt. Robert Emmet of No. 6 police station and Constable John Baynon of Homestead yesterday afternoon broke down the door of a house in Susquehanna street, Homewood, and arrested Arthur Montague, a negro who is wanted in Homestead for the shooting of Robert Watt. The latter was defending a negress last Sunday when Montague was endeavoring to attack her. Turning from the woman Montague pulled a revolver and sent a bullet into Watt's lung, just below the heart. Watt is in a critical condition.

The Homestead police traced Montague to the Susquehanna street house, and when the police arrived there yesterday they found the doors barricaded and the windows nailed shut. Montague is regarded as dangerous. While the police were standing in front of the house they saw Montague at a window. When the door was kicked in the fugitive submitted without resistance.

REFUSE TO HANDLE BODY.

Remains of an Unknown Man Being Kept in Railroad Freight House.

GREENSBURG, PA., March 19.—(Special.)—Mangled almost beyond recognition and wrapped in a rough canvas, the body of an unknown man lies in the freight depot at West Newton, and because the undertakers of that town will not accept the body for burial at the rate the county allows, no arrangements for its interment have been made.

The man was run down by a Baltimore & Ohio freight train on the Youghiogheny branch of the Pennsylvania railroad near Marchand, Sunday afternoon. The train crew took the body to West Newton. The poor board of Westmoreland county has decided that not more than $12 will be allowed for the burial of a pauper. The West Newton undertakers say they cannot handle a body for that amount. They are charged $11 for the digging of a grave.

CONTROVERSY NEAR AN END.

Believed a Compromise Has Been Effected Between France and Germany.

ALGECIRAS, SPAIN, March 19.—The opinion has gained ground all day that a settlement of the Franco-German controversy before the conference on Moroccan reforms is merely a matter of hours. It was currently reported this evening that the terms of a compromise had been practically arranged and that announcement of an actual settlement probably would be made at the next plenary sitting of the conference, the date of which has not been definitely fixed but which is expected to be held either tomorrow or Wednesday.

Details of the compromise are not obtainable, but it is stated that the concessions relate to both the police and the bank questions.

ROBBER KILLS OFFICER.

While Three Suspects Are Being Taken to Prison One of Them Shoots a Police Sergeant.

JACKSON, MICH., March 19.—While taking three men, suspected of robbing the Brooklyn (Mich.) postoffice of $600 in money and stamps, to jail today, Police Sergeant Fred. H. Booth was shot and killed by one of the men.

The man who killed Booth and another robber, escaped, but the police held to one man, who gave his name as John Walsh, an ex-convict of San Francisco. Armed posses tonight captured two men who gave their names as John Hamilton of Cleveland and John Blake of Saginaw, and locked them up. An angry mob of citizens threatened the prisoners when they were brought to jail.

Tarbell for Mutual Presidency.

NEW YORK, March 19.—(Special.)—Gage E. Tarbell is slated tentatively for the presidency of the Mutual Life Insurance Company in the event that the international policy-holders' committee and other forces now enlisted under the banner of Stuyvesant Fish should succeed in ousting from the Mutual its present board of trustees and executive officers. Mr. Tarbell is at present second vice president of the Equitable Life Assurance society.

Daylight Is Not Lost, After All.

NEW YORK, March 19.—(Special.)—Two hundred days out of New York, according to a cablegram received by the Standard Oil Company today, the long overdue British bark, Daylight, has arrived at Japan. Fears had been entertained for the safety of the Daylight, which had been spoken when 31 days out of New York, but of which no other word of any kind had been received until the cable announcing her safe arrival.

Policeman Kills an Outlaw.

SPRINGFIELD, MO., March 19.—Thomas Murphy of Vinita, I. T., was shot and killed this afternoon by Policeman John Wilberly while resisting arrest. The man's companion, who gives his name as M. J. Curtis of Council Bluffs, Ia., was arrested after a desperate struggle. Much excitement was caused when it was rumored the men were two of the trio of Wickliffe Indian outlaws from the Indian territory whom posses have been chasing for a week.

Soldier Prisoner Cuts His Throat.

NEW YORK, March 19.—(Special.)—Patrick Clancy, a soldier prisoner confined in Castle Williams on Governor's island, attempted suicide today by cutting his throat with a clasp knife. He was discovered by his cellmate, Richard Smith, who, covered by the rifle of one of the guards, wrestled with Clancey till he got the knife from him. It is not thought he can recover.

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QUEER STRIKE OF WOMEN IN PENNSYLVANIA YARD

Force of Car Cleaners Want Better Conditions and Hoot Away Greeks Who Take Their Places.

The Pennsylvania railroad has a queer strike on hand. About 50 women employed as passenger car cleaners in the Twenty-sixth street yards came out yesterday morning, only one of the force refusing to join the movement.

The women claim they are not paid enough and are not given credit for all the cars they clean. What was practically a continuous meeting was held all day by the strikers. A committee consisting of Rose Kennedy, Alice Paisley, Anna Ketchey, Emma Know and Mary Dea was appointed to see the railroad officials. During the day they called on J. M. C. Barbers, foreman of car inspectors, E. A. Elmer, master mechanic, and Robert Erbbert, assistant car inspector. They were not satisfied with the interviews and today the committee will call on Superintendent S. C. Long.

A number of Greeks were put on to clean the cars after the strike opened but the girls hooted them so that the men deserted the job in a little time.

TAMMANY'S PLATFORM.

Against Socialism and Municipal Ownership, but Wants Public Utilities Investigated.

NEW YORK, March 19.—What is regarded as a declaration of Tammany hall's principles for the state campaign next fall, was made tonight at a special meeting of the organization, which was addressed by Representative W. Bourke Cockran, grand sachem of the Tammany society. Cockran introduced a lengthy series of resolutions which were unanimously adopted. Their tone throughout is one of opposition to so-called "latter day socialism," and it was asserted that on this platform Tammany will make this year's fight.

On the subject of municipal ownership it is declared that while experience shows that public utilities are more effectively administered by private agencies under the watchful supervision of government than by public officers, "we do not believe that the service actually rendered by private corporations operating public franchises in this city approaches the efficiency of which they are capable, and to which the people are entitled." To remedy this it is proposed that a commission be appointed to investigate telephones, gas and electricity.

CONSULAR LAW WINS.

First Service Toward Reorganizing Our Foreign Service Passes the House.

WASHINGTON, March 19.—An important bill, declared to be the first step toward a reorganization of the consular service, was passed. The bill already has been acted upon by the senate. It reclassifies the service and increases salaries to the extent of $170,000 a year.

The retirement of aged clerks received the attention of the house for more than an hour, during which the debate was general, while Mr. Tawney, chairman of the appropriations committee held the floor in advocacy of the 70 year retirement provision in the bill.

YOUNG ARTIST WINS PRIZE.

Philadelphia Art Club Confers Gold Medal on Miss Isabel Parke Branson.

PHILADELPHIA, March 19.—(Special.)—Though yet in her teens and still a student at the School of Design for Women, Miss Isabel Parke Branson of Coatesville won the gold medal of honor in the water color exhibition of the Philadelphia Art club in competition with numerous other and more mature artists.

The water color exhibition, containing many interesting pictures, was opened today at the Art club's house in South Broad street. Miss Branson was very much averse to showing her picture, "The Portrait of a Young Girl," until persuaded to do so by friends.

Can Get Back Her Furniture.

PHILADELPHIA, March 19.—(Special.)—Winnie McMichael, who is charged by Mrs. Katherine D. T. Dunham with alienating the affections of her husband, will be able to retain possession of her household goods and other property for at least a little longer. The supreme court has granted a rehearing of the case and the judgment of the lower court, giving Mrs. Dunham a judgment against the fair Winnie for $10,000, has been set aside pending the rehearing.

Gravity Reigns Supreme.

John Sturkoski is receiving treatment at the West Penn hospital as the result of an effort to overcome the law of gravity. While visiting his sister, Mrs. Sophie Krowski of 2035 Brereton avenue, last night, he seized a kettle of boiling water and swung it around his head. During the scientific experiment, Sturkoski received a hot shower bath that scalded his head and shoulders.

German Troops Fail in Africa.

BERLIN, March 19.—Official dispatches received from German southwest Africa today announce the failure of the comprehensive surrounding movement undertaken by the German troops against Jacob Morenga, the last and most active of the native leaders of the rebels. The movement had been going on for weeks and six large detachments with 15 field and machine guns, participated in it.

Hotel Clerk and $25 Missing.

Mysteriously missing since Sunday morning, John Long, former night clerk of the Hotel Yoder, Forbes street, is suspected of appropriating $25 belonging to the hostelry. He had been at the hotel only five days, and when employed gave Pittsburgh as his home, but he did not tell his street address.

ENGLISH RUGBY BY THE YALE PLAYERS

Game Arranged for Saturday With a Team of Old Country Lads.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., March 19.—(Special.)—English rubgy will be given a trial on Yale field next Saturday afternoon, weather and field conditions permitting. A team of English players, many of whom have been working on a bridge in New York, will come up to exemplify the game.

The Yale team will probably be Veeder, full back; quarterbacks, Capt. Morse, Linn, Roome and Knox; half backs, Dines and Hutchinson; scrubs, Norton, Bower and Stuart. The other members of the scrub are not yet picked.

Bower is an Englishman who attends the Sheffield Scientific school. He has been playing the game at home and has been coaching the Yale players.

ADOPT FLAT SCALE.

Window Glass Company Quits One Union to Sign With Another.

As the result of a strike which has been in progress at the plant of the Pittsburgh Window Glass Company in Washington, Pa., during the past week, the company has renounced Local 300, K. of L., and signed a new agreement with the Amalgamated Window Glass Workers' association, taking up the flat scale and abrogating the sliding scale.

A movement is on foot to unite these labor organizations, together with that of the Window Glass Cutters and Flatteners. It is reported that President Simon Burns of Local 300 has expressed himself as willing to retire if President A. L. Faulkner of the Amalgamated association will do the same, and permit President W. P. Shinn of the cutters and flatteners to head the unified organization.

OIL CAN EXPLODES.

Workman in Tannery Is Burned—Several Small Fires in Allegheny Keep Department Busy.

An explosion of oil in the plant of the Lappe Standard Leather company, Spring Garden avenue, Allegheny, yesterday afternoon, started a blaze that did little damage. Joseph Lipton, aged 34, 818 Long alley, was burned about the face and hands and was taken to the Allegheny General hospital.

Fire of unknown origin did damage to the amount of $1,000 yesterday evening in a house owned by Henry Lohrey, at 2217 East street, Allegheny.

A small fire in the stable of William Wachter, rear of 712 Cherry alley, yesterday afternoon, caused damage to the extent of $200.

UNIONTOWN CAPITALISTS BOOM HOTEL PROJECT

UNIONTOWN, PA., March 19.—(Special.)—A movement is well under way to build a summer hotel of about 100 rooms to cost $60,000 on the Summit in the mountains six miles east of Uniontown. Among those interested are Justice S. L. Mestrezat, Judge R. E. Umbel, ex-Judge Nathaniel Ewing, J. V. Thompson, and others of Uniontown, and Col. J. M. Guffey and others of Pittsburgh. It is said that Mr. Riley, present manager of the Schenley hotel at Pittsburgh, may take the management.

BROOMSTICK HAS HAD LAST TURF BATTLE

Game Son of Ben Brush Goes to Head of Senorita Farm Stallions.

Broomstick, the game little son of Ben Brush, will be missed by race-goers this year as the holder of the world's mile and a quarter record, 2:20 4-5, is now quartered at Senorita stud, owned by the estate of Capt. S. S. Brown. This hero of many a hard-fought turf battle will take his place there as a leading stallion.

As a two-year-old he placed many stakes to his credit and as a three-year-old very few could take his measure. Catarrhal fever, which nearly cost him his life, left him touched in his wind, and he met a number of defeats in his four-year-old form. When, however, the weather was bright and warm, he whistled less and took some good ones into camp. When at his best he was a great race horse and carried the Brown cherry and blue cap often to victory.

FIRST CONCERT IN SERIES.

Carnegie Technical School Glee and Mandolin Clubs Give Pleasing Entertainment in Music Hall.

The first of a series of four concerts for the benefit of the Athletic association and Glee club of the Carnegie Technical schools, was given last evening by the Glee and Mandolin clubs of that institution, at Carnegie Music hall. The stage was decorated with a banner of red, yellow, green and blue, blended into a Scotch plaid, and representing Andrew Carnegie's clan colors. On this banner the letters, C. T. S. were embroidered in yellow.

A very appreciative audience, and a fair-sized one, too, greeted the performers with applause, calling for repeated encores. One of the best of those to the credit of the Glee club, was a humerous description of "Willie's Adventure with the Automobile on the Boulevard." "Tell Me with Your Eyes," by the Mandolin club, was particularly well received.

RUMOR PICKS FARREL AS MESSENGER TO THE MAYOR

It was reported in Allegheny yesterday that William Farrel of the First ward would be the mayor's messenger at Allegheny city hall when Charles F. Kirschler is inducted into office. Although the position pays but $1,200 a year, there were almost 50 applicants for it. Mr. Kirschler was about the city treasurer's office nearly all yesterday morning, and was besieged by an army of job hunters. He refused to make any promises, and declares he will announce no appointments until the day he takes office.

HELPLESS FROM DISEASE, HEARS OF MOTHER'S DEATH

While lying in his bed with inflammatory rheumatism, suffering to such an extent that he is unable to move hand or foot, S. G. Owens of Margaretta street, Braddock, yesterday received word that his mother, Mrs. Mary Owens, is dead at Altoona.

Raid Follows Disobedience.

Police Capt. McCabe arrested Cora Carson of Second avenue last night on a charge of keeping a disorderly house. Two other women and three men found in the house were also locked up. The woman was arrested a few weeks ago and fined $100 and costs, and was ordered not to open up again.

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ENTERTAINMENTS these Lenten days are few and far between and of the most informal nature. Small luncheons and bridge parties are really the only diversions for the few who remain in town. Mrs. Samuel Severance of Aiken avenue, Shadyside, will entertain informally at bridge on Saturday afternoon for her sister, Mrs. George C. Smith of New York, who is expected tomorrow morning for a 10-days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Queen of Bidwell street, will leave Thursday for the metropolis, where they will spend 10 days at the St. Regis. Mr. and Mrs. Queen, with their family, expect to leave early in May for Glen Cove, Long Island, where they have taken a North shore cottage for the summer.

Atlantic City continues a favorite springtime resort. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Batchelor McLean, who have been for two weeks at the Marlborough, returned yesterday morning to their home in Wilkinsburg avenue, but left a few hours later for Saegertown. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Mytinger Plumer of South Highland avenue, will leave April 2 for a visit at the Brighton. A family party made up of Mrs. Allen Gilmore Mitchell, her two daughters, Miss Marie Louise and Miss Clara Josephine Mitchell and Mrs. Mitchell's mother, Mrs. Thomas Harlan Baird of Walnut street, who are arranging to go on April 15 for an over-Easter visit at the shore, will stop at Haddon Hall.

Informal Tea at Sewickley.

The Lenten quiet of Sewickley was broken yesterday by an informal 4 o'clock tea given by Mrs. Mansfield E. Brown at her home in Beaver street. The affair was in honor of Mrs. Joseph McDonald, a December bride, who with her husband has gone to Sewickley to live. The hostess was assisted by Miss Mary B. Brown, Miss Taylor and a few intimate friends. The guests were of the younger married and debutante set. Assisting in the dining-room were young girls, friends of the hostess' daughter, Miss Bessie Brown.

Benefit for Children's Hospital.

Officers of the Pittsburgh Children's hospital have announced an entertainment of songs and stories of the "Old South," to be presented for the benefit of that institution in Miss Stewart's school, Fifth avenue, on Tuesday afternoon and evening, April 24. The patronesses will include Mrs. George W. Guthrie, Miss Bessie D. Johnson, Mrs. David Kirk, Miss Mary Speer, Mrs. Benjamin Page, Mrs. Frank N. Schwartz, Mrs. George S. Ebbert, Mrs. Francis J. LeMoyne, Miss Gertrude Childs, Miss Jeannette Hawkins and Miss Narcisse Kennedy.

Guests at a Wedding.

Mrs. M. F. Frauenheim, Mr. and Mrs. Leopold Vilsack, Mr. and Mrs. John Mueller, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mueller, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Frauenheim, Miss Josephine South, Miss Dickson, Miss Heyl, Mrs. R. Maloney, Miss Pixley, Miss Johnston, Miss Margaret Burns, Miss Phelan, Mrs. William Totten, Mr. Joyce, Mr. Harry Frauenheim, Mr. Ray Jackson and Mr. John Reilly were the Pittsburgh guests at the marriage of Miss Ora Howard and Mr. Murray Urnston, which took place last evening in Hamilton, Ontario.

Saturday Sleighing Party.

Saturday evening a sleighing party followed by supper at the home of George Feick, Oak Station, was given by the members of the Shamrock club. Among the guests were the Misses Elizabeth M. Craig, Marie Sauers, Eva Reynolds, Helen Con, Louisa Piroth, Jose Kurtz, Etta Kurtz, Lillian Feick, C. Feick, Messrs. K. Moore, U. Reynolds, N. S. Countryman, N. Doyle, F. Cain, W. Polk, G. Allshouse, E. Allshouse, J. Kelnsey and Frank Allshouse.

To Marry This Evening.

Only the immediate relatives and a few intimate friends will witness the marriage of Miss Lillian Harris Pryor to Lewis Whitmyre, which will be solemnized this evening at 8 o'clock at the home of the bride in Buena Vista street, Allegheny. The Rev. H. E. Whitmyre of Sheraden, a brother of the bridegroom, will assist the officiating clergyman, the Rev. T. Ross Paden of the Westminster Presbyterian church. Mr. Whitmyre and his bride will be "at home" in Mars, Pa., after May 1.

Will Sail for Rome.

Mr. and Mrs Eugene Wellington Pargny of Westminster place, Shadyside, left last evening for New York, whence they will sail on Saturday, aboard the Koenig Albert, for a three months' trip abroad. They will tour Italy, Spain and France, and will return home by way of Ireland, where they will visit relatives.

Engagement Is Announced.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Dollens of Verona announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Annie Meyrick Dollens, and Charles M. Bregg, dramatic editor of The Pittsburgh Gazette. The wedding will probably take place during the summer.

Gives Anniversary Dinner.

Mrs. Robert E. Blair of Perrysville avenue, Allegheny, entertained at a prettily appointed dinner Saturday evening in honor of the eighty-first birthday anniversary of her mother, Mrs. Emma S. Minehart. Covers were laid for 25.

Club Reception.

About 300 invitations have been issued for the final reception and dance of the Bellevue Outing club, to be held Tuesday evening next, at Masonic hall, Bellevue.

The Origin of Toasts.

The proposal of a health in an afternoon speech dates back to mediaeval times. At that time the loving cup was used at every banquet. It was filled to the brim and in the center was placed a piece of toasted bread. The cup circled the table, each one present taking a sip of the wine. When it came back to the host he drained the remainder of the wine and ate the toast, in honor of all friends assembled at his table.

The ancient Greeks, the Romans, the Assyrians and the Egyptians drank each other's health at dinner, but the post-prandial oratory was not adopted until modern times. The Greek toast was "I salute you. Be happy;" that of the Romans, "I drink your health."

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For the convenience of customers they have with the opening of Oliver avenue established an entrance to their business house from that thoroughfare, their frontage covering numbers 208 to 220, inclusive. This entrance is just beside the entrance to the shipping department, and is almost opposite Liberty avenue, and leads toward Fifth avenue to the main floor and offices, and to the great bargain annex, in the front basement, where lower priced goods, remnants, floor cloths and kindred lines are found. The first floor fronting Fifth avenue is devoted to the curtain and drapery display rooms, as is the front above. The large rug department is on the main floor along Oliver avenue, and is one of the largest storerooms in Pittsburgh. The second and third floors directly over this are devoted to the enormous stock of carpets carried by the house, and are most conveniently arranged for the proper display of these goods, which, by the way, cover all grades from the very finest made down the scale of prices to the lowest grades that can be depended upon for service, the one class receiving equal care and attention with the other. Two elevators reach these departments, while still higher up are the manufacturing rooms, in charge of experts, where the work of making up goods is carried on with every modern facility for good work.

The entire establishment is a model one and the only one of its kind in the city. Visitors are welcome at any time, and will be cheerfully shown through the house if a desire to that effect is made known. Just now, with the spring trade opening, this store presents a very busy and interesting appearance. The main entrance is from Fifth avenue, No. 210, while the new one is off Oliver avenue, being Nos. 208.

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A FROCK OF FASHION

One of the most delightful examples of the plaid skirt and Empire coat idea. The skirt has a background of mottled grey, particularly clear in effect, however, checked off with lines of white and black. In fact, the costume might serve as a light mourning design. The little coat is plaited at the front and shaped above the waist line by bias bands of silk, closely stitched. A dainty collar of fine white embroidered linen lends cachet to the coat.

Plaids of all kinds are popular as skirt materials this spring, and they lend themselves graciously to the circular lines of the ultra-smart skirts. Finished either with plain hems or trimmed with bands of contrasting material, walking skirts are fitting accompaniments for the jaunty coat models. There is nothing very pronounced in the fashionable plaids and checks. The area outlined is frequently quite expansive, but the stripes are so inconspicuous that they must be arranged in groups to define any distinct color scheme. The predominating note is always emphasized in the trimming, and when the coat is of a plain color it carries out this idea as well.

The Gift Exchange Is a Late Fad.

Women's exchanges for the disposal of superfluous articles of cookery or household convenience are by this time recognized and established business ventures, but a shop for the exchange of duplicate or unappreciated gifts is the unique undertaking of an eastern city.

The bride who has been showered with duplicate silver, the twenty-fifth anniversary that has been a harvest of unappreciated tokens and the Christmas that has vexed your soul and overcrowded your sideboard are by this project smoothed and adjusted to their right stage and true perfection.

It matters not if the silver has been engraved. The engraving can be removed and the article restored to its original commercial value. It is not pretended that a cash price will be set on any of the articles offered to these shops, but the unappreciative recipient may pass in her gift and take in exchange such candlestick, fruit set or toilet set as the acumen of the dealer or her taste may determine.

"It is not by accident that silver is marked free of charge," explained the man who makes a business of exchanging gifts. "An article that has been engraved will not be taken back. If this were not so the silversmiths would be inundated with returned gifts three-fourths of the time. The bride who gets the things she does not want is really hampered by them, and here she can get something she does want for something she does not want."

The man in charge of this venture is characteristically a silversmith, and another branch of his business is the making over of the odds and ends of the jewel casket. These trinkets accumulate with the years in every household, and many are treasured for the sake of association. Old bracelets, earrings and brooches are transformed into up-to-date necklaces, an old caster comes out a four-branched candelabra, or failing all these reincarnations, the price of old gold and silver may be obtained.

Something About Spices.

The consumption of spices of all kinds in the United States amounts to about one and one-half pounds per capita per annum. Over half this is pepper, black, white and red. There are hundreds of varieties of pepper, but red is nature's color for the entire family. Black and white are man's work.

Always buy spices of the dealer who sells the highest priced goods. One pound of good spice will flavor five times as much food and flavor it better than five pounds of cheap and nasty stuff. Aside from this, the medicinal, peptic and antiseptic qualities of spices are usually lacking when flavor and fragrance are in any way sacrificed or originally absent.

The chief thing for the consumer and householder is to learn what are irreproachable brands, and the trade-marks of reputable manufacturers—then cleave to these. Tell the man behind the counter that you want the least spice for the most money—not the most spice for the least money. Spice is something of a luxury and you had better do without altogether than purchase an inferior quality.

One of the don'ts is never to buy bulk spices. You can find labels that do not lie if you look for them and styles of packages that will keep the goods in the best condition until used.

The finest spices known to commerce perfectly prepared and perfectly packed, have been procurable at any time within the past 25 years at first-class retail shops, and if the American public leads the world in its consumption of cheap and worthless condiments it is because their desire for something cheap has misled them.

For the Early Golfer.

Just now that breezy young person who poses an as amateur athlete is rejoicing in a new garment which she calls a sporting jacket. It is the most comfortable and convenient piece of apparel ever invented and puts the sweater away out of countenance.

This jacket is knitted by hand and fashioned like a short box coat, devoid of all seams except those under the arms. A cowar such as men wear on their sack coats and deep cuffs of leather, also pocket flaps give the new garment lots of style and make it suitable for hard service. The ascot stock is the only neckwear suitable to accompany this new sartorial wrinkle out on to the golf links.

The initiated claim they do not know how they ever worried along without it. It hits the wrap question off just right—it is warm without being burdensome and does not interfere with a good, free swinging drive. Best of all, it is becoming to the slender. Be it understood no woman who goes in for outdoor sport ever gets fat.

Raisin Brown Bread.

Sift together two cups of graham flour (after removing bran), a teaspoonful each of salt and soda and a half a teaspoonful of baking powder. Mix into this two-thirds of a cup of raisins, half a cup of molasses and one and one-fourth cups of sour milk. Beat one egg well and add to the mixture and pour into a greased mold after pressing a few raisins about the surface. Steam for two hours. If a dark colored bread be preferred, a little kitchen bouquet may be added to advantage.

Notes By the Way.

Everyone sees the advantage of being first, but few develop the phisolophy that renders them content to be second.

The things that men desire and get in this life depend upon shifting accidents and conditions. The things they desire and dream are always the same.

Most people would rather listen to undeserved praise than to merited criticism.

It was either a pessimist or a philosopher who said that success was seeming to have what the other fellow wanted.

The fear of freckles should cause no woman to shun the sunshine of happiness.

THE CLUBS

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Alliance Francaise Is Growing.

During the last few weeks a number of new members have been received in the Alliance Francaise, Comite de Pittsburgh. On Saturday evening, March 24, at 8 o'clock, Monsieur Henri Marion, professor at the Naval academy, Annapolis, will give an illustrated lecture before the Alliance on "The Tourraine and the Old Castles of France." The new members recently received are: Miss Mary E. Armstrong, Miss Julie Carson, Mrs. Robert D. Coard, L. Delaval, Miss Elizabeth M. Davidson, Mrs. Josephine Elwell, Miss Mary Ghenrist, Miss Heckelman, Mrs. H. E. Lineaweaver, Mrs. Margaret L. Marshall, Mrs. Joseph Moore, Mrs. F. F. Nicola, Joseph Otten, Mrs. Joseph Paige, Mrs. Eugene W. Pargny, Mrs. C. A. Samuels, Miss Edith Schmidt, Miss Mary L. Schmidt, Herman A. Schulz, Miss Jean Stone, Harry W. Stratton, Mrs. Charles L. Taylor, Mlle. Helene Boy de la Tour, Mrs. Janet Walker, Mrs. Margaret Walker, John G. Warwick and Miss Aimee Leona Weil.

Miss Balch Goes to Cleveland.

Miss Emily Green Balch left yesterday morning for Cleveland, where she will spend a couple of weeks or longer, residing in the Social Settlement house in that city. Miss Balch has spent the past six weeks at the Woods Run industrial home, Peirad street, Allegheny, making daily trips to the Slav settlements at McKee's rocks and to Connellsville, where she saw the Slavs in their homes in the mining region. Up the Allegheny Valley railroad and down as far as the new Hazelton mine she has pursued her investigations regarding these people, whom she will also study in their colonies in and about Cleveland. As a result of her residence in the Woods Run industrial home and her especial interest in the Slavs, a Slovak reading room has been established in that settlement house where Slovak newspapers and periodicals will be kept on file for the use of the people of that nationality. The two years of absence granted Miss Balch by Wellesley college, where she holds the position of associate professor of economics, are almost up. In the months since she left the college she has lived among the Slavs in Austria and Hungary, and during the past year among them in their colonies in this country, spending several weeks at a time in the different large cities where, through her knowledge of their language, customs and modes of living, she has won their confidence.

Exhibit of Little Needlewomen.

An exhibition and sale of the work of the little girls in the Saturday afternoon sewing class in the Soho baths settlement house will be held on Friday afternoon, April 6. The exhibit will include pin cushions and needlebooks which the children made early in the year, aprons and other articles of clothing, together with contributions in fancy work and household articles contributed for the sale by friends of the settlement committee. Mrs. James C. Dick is in charge of this feature of the settlement work, and under her direction some of the little girls have made remarkable progress in the art of sewing.

Day With Child-Writers.

Mrs. S. S. Wales entertained the Woman's club of Homestead yesterday afternoon. The program was characterized as "A Day With Child Writers," and a paper on "Childhood Literature and Its Value" was read by Mrs. G. D. Hutson. The president, Mrs. De La Cosatt, gave a talk on Esquire Field. Recitations by little Miss Snyder added interest to the meeting.

Russian Homes and Homelife.

The Tourist club yesterday took up a study of Russian homes and home life, particularly in the villages. "The Hundred Palaces of the Czars" were described by Miss Hill, "The Hartzfange" by Mrs. Duff, and a resume of the Russian court and villages was given by Mrs. Grove and Miss Lecky. Mrs. Albert Pettit talked of Russian art.

Modern German Writers.

Before the Germanic society, in the Twentieth Century club house, next Friday evening, there will be a lecture by Mrs. Amalia von Ende of New York, who will speak on "Modern German Writers." Mrs. von Ende will be entertained at luncheon by Mrs. J. Willis Dalzell, Ridge avenue, Allegheny.

Will Have an Artists' Day.

The Women's club of the Sewickley valley will this week have an artists' day. The meeting will be devoted to music by Russian composers, to be played by a Russian pianist, Madame Feodora Snarkow-Ryder. Miss Genevieve Wheat, soprano, will sing.

A Novel Feast.

We have all heard of that group of healthy and able bodied young men who volunteered themselves as subjects to withstand the effects of certain chemically treated foods. A more novel event along lines culinary was the dinner given recently by Prof. Stillman of the Stevens institute at one of the New York hotels.

It was called a chemical dinner. The bill of fare was made up of things which were mostly prepared in the laboratory of the host who maintained that he could make drinks, sauces, condiments and all manner of foods pleasing to the taste, sight and smell without recourse to the ordinary processes of nature.

Genuine bivalves were employed in the oyster cocktail, but the sauce was composed of a dash of citric acid which imparted the lemon flavor, oil of capers, which is the chemical equivalent of horseradish, a little capsicine, a chemical product of red peper, a little diluted acetic acid and sufficient grated turnip to give the whole body. The coloring was red aniline.

The soup was made from ordinary green turtle stock flavored with a test tube sherry. The biscuits had no flour and the butter was no butter, but so-called butterine, which had never seen a cow, and never hoped to.

The synthetic sauce for the Mexican pear salad was composed of diluted acetic acid, oil, mustard, salt and laboratory-laid eggs, capsicine and just enough chlorophyl to give a pleasing tinge of inviting green. The raspberry sherbet was a frozen solution of saccharin, ethers blended into an artificial raspberry juice and distilled water. The vanilla ice cream was an emulsion of cotton seed oil triply refined with chemically made vanilla, artificial almond extract and a saccharin. The coffee was made from the scorched remains of the seven leading breakfast foods.

The Average Woman.

"The average woman" does not sound like a phrase of high compliment. Yet the average woman is doubtless the most needed woman in modern civilization.

It is interesting and inspiring to note in addition that she has made marked progress during the centuries. She is much more capable than she was 300 years ago. She is also much more loveable. This advance, it is true, is somewhat due to the work of those few leaders who blaze new trails and encourage more timid souls to follow. For the most part, however, it can be traced to the steady, slow improvement all along the line—an improvement traceable directly to the average woman herself. That cautious and deliberate following that weighs dispassionately, holds aloof from heat and clamor but may be trusted to tread the middle path and cleave only to what is true and of good repute.

Taken collectively, the average woman is a great improvement over her grandmother several times removed. She can make better bread and better soup than she used to make. She reads more books and better ones. She has a firmer hand if not a more understanding heart with children. She gives more discriminatingly in charity. Her household, whether small or large, is better ordered. Her love is more discriminating and her Christianity more compassionate.

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How a Girl Should Hold a Gun.

There certainly can be no good reason for it, but the average woman looks upon a piece of firearms with much the same dread and abhorrence as she does upon a snake.

In these days of holdups, daylight robberies, porch climbers and similar nuisances of which we hear much and suffer some, it would be a very good thing if the girls who claim steady nerves would take their courage in their hands and experiment a little with these over-dreaded weapons.

Heaven, Napoleon held, fought on the side with the heaviest artillery. Be that as it may, there are numerous times when the ready flourishment of even an empty revolver will conduce to the safety and peace of mind of a houseful of women. If you are very timid you do not need to load the gun, but if you are not accurate in your aim it would be better to have every chamber filled and take a pot shot at such lurking shadows as disturb your nocturnal peace.

There is a way to hold a revolver by which more reasonable accuracy can be secured than by the manner in which it is usually held. The usual grasp is with the forefinger pressing the trigger, and though many experts follow this rule, yet it is not the best, and in the case of one not used to handling weapons is not to be advised. A better grasp is with the second or middle finger pressing the trigger and the forefinger extending along the barrel in such way that it will assist in keeping the weapon steady. A revolver will buck up under the muscular action required to pull the trigger with the forefinger and unless one is thoroughly practiced the bullet will fly high. An expert trains himself to prevent this bucking up, and the strength of his wrist is such, gained through practice, that it is scarcely perceptible. For the inexperienced, however, and especially a woman whose wrist muscles are not so strong, the middle finger pull is recommended by many marksmen.

FANCY BLOUSE OF IRISH CROCHET

Dyed lace is used for the design, which is in black, built over white taffeta and chiffon. The yoke is composed of bands of Val lace joined with fagoting and is made in one piece with the high collar. The blouse is confined under a deep round girdle of claret red satin finished with a full silver buckle. Bands of insertion finished with edging have the short, full sleeve-puff gathered into them, making a design particularly appropriate for afternoon or matinee wear.

There is no end to the variety given the new sleeves, which, by the way, are short in nine cases out of ten. Dame Fashion has been rudely unmindful of the boney-armed sisterhood in declaring that all her disciples must wear elbow sleeves, but one finds consolation in the long gloves which must be wrinkled about the wrist to be ultra-modish. Many a "skinny" wrist may be concealed beneath these wrinkles.

All kinds of lace are fashionable for separate blouses, but Clunt, Irish and babe crochet, Valenciennes and the old-fashioned Spanish lace lead in favor.

Section Meetings of the Academy.

A meeting of the Pedagogical section of the Academy of Science and Art will be held this evening in the rooms of the Central Board of Education, Fifth avenue high school, at 8 o'clock. Prof. E. L. Sherwood of the Shadyside academy, will preside, and the subject for the evening's discussion will be "Renaissance." "The Historical Significance of the Renaissance" being discussed by F. W. Geye, Ph. D., of the Shadyside Academy; and "The Renaissance as an Educational Revolution," by the Rev. John A. Wilson, D. D., of the Western Theological seminary. Also this evening will occur the monthly meeting of the Biological section, which will be held in the auditorium of the Carnegie Technical schools at 8:15 o'clock. "Biology from the Standpoint of Chemistry," will be the subject of the lecture by Dr. J. A. Koch, dean of the Western university's department of pharmacy. The lecture will be followed by a general discussion.

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SMALL DEBT STILL STANDS ON SEWICKLEY'S Y. M. C. A. BUILDING

The above illustration shows the new and recently dedicated home of the Young Men's Christian association at Sewickley. The building and the athletic field attached have a valuation of $100,000. There is a debt of $8,000 on the property, which the directors and trustees expect to have paid off before July 1, next.

COMPANY SHOWS BOOKS IN COURT

Attorney General Hadley Wins His Point in Ouster Suit Against Oil Concerns.

ADAMS' TRIP TO 26 BROADWAY

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

ST. LOUIS, MO., March 19.—The postponed hearing in the ouster suit instituted by Attorney General Hadley against the Standard, Republic and Waters-Pierce Oil companies was resumed today before Special Commissioner Anthony. Attorney General Hadley demanded the production in accordance with the supreme court order, of certain books and papers of that company. Thereupon H. S. Priest of the company's counsel, announced that the documents wanted were at hand. In submitting them he said:

"With all due respect to the supreme court there has been resistance to submitting these books and papers as evidence. This opposition was made by counsel without advice from the company. These proceedings seek to impose penalties on persons and corporations. The Constitution of the United States and of Missouri guarantee to individuals immunity from search and seizure. They also guarantee that persons shall not be required to testify against themselves or give evidence which may cause a penalty to be visited on them.

"We think that corporations are entitled to the same constitutional protection, and therefore we have had the temerity to resist the court's order. While we may criticise the wisdom of the ruling, we will no longer oppose it. Therefore I produce the books asked for."

Charles M. Adams, secretary and treasurer of the Waters-Pierce Oil Company, said that he looked after the financial affairs of the company, and was custodian of the stock books. He said that about two years ago he went to 26 Broadway, New York, headquarters of the Standard Oil Company, to discuss the business of the Waters-Pierce Oil Company. His company, he said, bought its oil from Standard Oil refineries, from the Galena Signal Oil Company, and from the Atlantic refinery at Philadelphia. Since 1904 checks in payment for oil bought from the Atlantic refinery have been sent to Mr. Howe, treasurer of the Atlantic company, at 26 Broadway, New York.

From there vouchers are sent to the main office in Philadelphia. He said the salaries of the Waters-Pierce employes are paid in currency. To his knowledge these salaries were not paid under the terms of contract with a Mr. McNall, a Standard Oil official at 26 Broadway. Speaking of his visit to 26 Broadway Adams said, after close questioning, that the visit did not have to do with the business of the Waters-Pierce Oil Company. He said he had no recollection of ever having made a report to 26 Broadway.

Questions were then asked touching the ownership of the Waters-Pierce Oil Company stock. Of 2,700 shares originally owned by H. Clay Pierce, one was found to have been sold to M. M. Van Buren, who, it developed, is a son-in-law of John D. Archbold of the Standard Oil Company.

After Mr. Adams had concluded his testimony, H. Clay Pierce, former president of the Waters-Pierce company, was called to the stand. It was agreed that Mr. Pierce should appear as a witness for the defense and that Attorney General Hadley should have the privilege of cross-examining him. Just three questions were asked:

"What position do you hold with the Waters-Pierce Oil Company?" was the first.

"I am chairman of the board of directors," was the answer.

Where do you live?"

"I spend most of my time in St. Louis."

"Did you come here at the request of counsel?"

"Yes."

The hearing then adjourned until tomorrow.

URGE GOFF FOR JUSTICE.

West Virginia Delegation Recommend His Appointment to Succeed Justice Brown.

WASHINGTON, March 19.—(Special.)—A delegation of West Virginia men, composed of United States District Judge Alston G. Dayton, United States District Attorney Rees Blizzard, A. Howard Fleming, Postmaster at Fairmont, and Arnold Scherr of Parkersburg, are here to urge the appointment of Judge Nathan Goff as justice of the United States supreme court, to succeed Associate Justice Henry B. Brown.

Judge Goff's name has already been brought before the President by Senator Elkins, but it is not believed he has much chance for the place. If Secretary Taft does not accept the place, it is the general impression that it will go to Pennsylvania.

SCHWAB STILL ILL.

Mysterious Reports Concerning His Illness Quickly Set at Rest by His Family.

NEW YORK, March 19.—(Special.)—Mysterious reports of the illness of Charles M. Schwab were in circulation this afternoon. Rumor had it that Mr. Schwab was convalescing from a severe cold and was still confined to his home in Riverside drive.

At Mr. Schwab's home it was said he would be kept to his bed for a day or so longer, but that his condition was by no means alarming, being wholly the result of a cold contracted on his recent visit to his mining properties in the southwest.

More Trouble for Col. Mann.

NEW YORK, March 19.—(Special.)—In addition to the other troubles of Col. William D'Alton Mann, he was called upon today to defend another suit for libel, with damages at $50,000, in an action filed in the United States circuit court by John Armstrong Chanler, the former husband of Amelia Rives, the author.

SENATOR ELKINS ROASTS GOVERNOR OF WISCONSIN

Denies Cummins' Statements and Asks Him to Designate the "Dead" Senators.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

DES MOINES, IA., March 19.—Gov. A. B. Cummins today received from Senator Stephen B. Elkins, chairman of the senate committee on interstate commerce, a letter denying the statements made by Gov. Cummins in recent speeches regarding his hearing before that commission last summer with respect to the rate bill. Senator Elkins takes issue openly with Gov. Cummins on several points. He says in closing his letter:

"I have no interest in your campaign for a third term, but I am free to express the opinion that there are few states where a man could perpetuate himself in office by maligning one branch of the general government. The United States senate is expected to be a deliberative body, and when the governor of a great state impugns the motives of members of that body except the one in whose town he speaks and applies to them the opprobrious terms 'cemetery' and 'mausoleum,' and avows his intention to erect headstones to its members, it is time for someone to ask him to be more explicit. It would be interesting to know at whose heads you intend to erect stones.

"You say your indignation overcame your discretion and you then declared that so long as God gave you voice and strength you would denounce the infamy from one border of our country to the other. On the contrary, you thanked the committee for the patient and courteous way in which they had listened to you."

POSTMASTERS NAMED.

President Roosevelt Oppoints Kennedy at Crafton and F. R. Cyphers at East Pittsburgh.

WASHINGTON, March 19.—President Roosevelt today appointed the following Pennsylvania and West Virginia postmasters:

Pennsylvania—N. Tanner, Lansford; I. Newton Taylor, Mount Union; R. Carns, Ridly Park; F. W. Ulrichs, South Bethlehem; H. J. Barnes, Albion; C. C. Collins, Connellsville; J. Bickerton, Duquesne; F. R. Cyphers, East Pittsburgh; I. P. Garrett, Lansdowne; C. Sutter, McKees Rocks; J. E. Euwer, Natrona; A. Eppenheimer, Snydersford; J. C. Calliup, Smethport; H. F. Kennedy, Crafton.

West Virginia—E. A. Linch, Moundsville; R. A. Hall, Weston.

The following appointments of fourth-class Pennsylvania postmasters were announced today: Cambria, Luzerne county, John W. Hughes; Camden, Allegheny county, Charles L. Davis; Fordyce, Greene county, W. H. J. Morris; Geistown, Cambria county, Harry F. Smith; Nansen, Elk county, James C. Henning.

ATTEMPT TO WRECK TRAIN.

Pittsburgh Division Officials Worried Over Efforts to Ditch Fast Train.

GREENSBURG, PA., March 19.—A second attempt to wreck No. 6, a fast eastbound train on the Pennsylvania Railroad was made on Saturday night. While Walter Sindorf, employed at GU tower, was on his way home he discovered that a track gauge had been fastened to the rails. The train was flagged in time to prevent an accident.

Just a few minutes before the train was due a shifting engine was sent over the switch but it was not derailed. The two attempts at ditching the fast train have caused perturbation among the officials of the Pittsburgh division. Both attempts have been made at the same point on an embankment over 80 feet high.

Pittsburgher Attempts Suicide.

CHESTER, PA., March 19.—(Special.)—Valentine E. Tyler of Pittsburgh was arrested here today on a warrant charging him with bigamy, and after he had been in the lockup for a quarter of an hour it was found that he had made an attempt to commit suicide by opening an artery in his left wrist with a piece of glass. He was sent to the Chester hospital.

The name of Valentine E. Tyler does not appear in the Pittsburgh directory.

Donnelly is Again Chairman.

PHILADELPHIA, March 19.—Democratic City Chairman Charles P. Donnelly was elected tonight to succeed himself as the official head of the local Democratic organization. He had no opposition. The following were elected members from Philadelphia to the Democratic state central committee: Charles P. Donnelly, Thomas J. Ryan, John A. Thornton, John O'Donnell and E. K. Borie.

Y. M. C. A. Elects Officers.

The annual meeting of the members of the Sharpsburg and Etna Y. M. C. A. was held last evening. Reports were read and speeches made. Following are officers elected for the coming year: President, Joseph A. Kelly; first vice president, Robert P. Moore; second vice president, W. E. Bingham; recording secretary, Arthur Monier; treasurer, Charles Yahres; directors, George A. Seavy, H. S. McConnell.

Third Victim of Explosion.

John Sutaya, 35 years old, one of the laborers burned in the explosion at the Edgar Thomson steel works at Braddock last Friday night, died at 1:50 o'clock this morning at the Mercy hospital. Sutaya is the third man to die as a result of the explosion.

BROKE HER CHAINS.

She Wore Them for 30 Years, but Is Now a Free Woman.

A venerable lady of Iowa says that she was a regular coffee drinker for 30 years, and although convinced that the habit was the cause of her increasing nervousness, she was loath to give it up.

"I became so nervous," she says, "that when I had callers it would excite my nerves so that I would sit and cry for an hour or more after they had gone. I could not even go up town to do a little shopping with any comfort, and I would often get all ready and then take off my hat and stay at home and have a crying spell.

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THE THREE RIVERS

At 8 o'clock last evening marks on the gauge at Davis island dam indicated a stage of 7 feet and the river was at a stand.

CINCINNATI, O., March 19.—(Special.)—At 8 p. m. the Ohio river was 22.3 feet and rising. The Georgia Lee is due here tonight from Memphis and the lower river. She will take the place of the Stacker Lee. The Stacker Lee will run in the St. Louis and Memphis trade during the remainder of the season. The Pittsburgh coal fleet which came out on the last rise is due in the Cincinnati harbor on Thursday. Among the boats are the Raymond Horner, Iron Age, W. W. O'Neil and Oakland. Many of the Kanawha boats are dropping coal fleets out of the river. They will be ready for shipment by Thursday. Cloudy, snow and colder.

OIL CITY—One foot 2 inches. Cold; heavy snow.

POINT PLEASANT—Twenty feet 1 inch and rising; cloudy. Down, Virginia, Up, Tacoma, Jim Wood.

LOUISVILLE—Rising. In canal, 10.6, on falls, 8.4; below locks, 29.8. Rain and snow.

GREENSBORO, PA.—Twelve feet 2 inches and rising. Rain.

STEUBENVILLE—Nine feet 1 inch and falling. Raining and cold. Up, Samuel Clarke. Down, Volunteer.

WHEELING—Ten feet and falling slowly. Rain and snowing. Departed, Smith, Parkersburg, 1.30 a. m.; Ben Hur, Parkersburg, 9 p. m.

GALLIPOLIS—Twenty-five feet and rising. Cloudy and cold.

WARREN—One foot and falling. Snowing.

MORGANTOWN—Eleven feet and rising. Rainy.

PARKERSBURG—Fifteen four-tenths and rising. Rained all day. Queen City left for Pittsburgh.

MARIETTA—Fifteen feet, rising. Rain all day. Queen City up 5 p. m. Down [with coal, Iron Age, W. W. O'Neil.

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AARON, ADAM, with Norris & McKee, Pittsburgh.
BALL, LEON G., Pittsburgh.
ARONSON, JACOB H., Aronson Realty Co., Pittsburgh.
BARNES, J. WM., Homestead, Pa.
BAILEY, R. G., with W. L. Scott & Co., Allegheny.
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BECKWITH, GEO., N., East End.
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BLACK, SAMUEL W., of S. W. Black Co., Pittsburgh.
BREEDEN, WALDO P., with Knoxville Land Imp. Co.
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BRUCKMAN, FRED, Robinson & Bruckman, Brushton.
BROWN, W. C., Jr., with George Bros., Pittsburgh.
BISSET, DAVID, Mt. Washington.
BOYD, W. J., Pittsburgh.
BOYD, JOHN D., Allegheny.
BOYLES, W. G., with E. A. Hess & Co., Allegheny.
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BROWN, HOWARD, of Howard Brown & Bro., Pittsburgh.
BROWN, VET L., of Vet L. Brown & Starrett Co., Pittsburgh.
BRYCE, J. H., with F. O. Van Gorder, East End.
BUGGIE, F. S., with George Bros., Pittsburgh.
CAVANAGH, JAMES, of Cavanagh & Co., Pittsburgh.
CAMPBELL, JOS. L., Braddock, Pa.
CELLA, LOUIS, Jr., Homewood.
CLARK, A. H., Pittsburgh.
CONNELL, M. J., with Norris & McKee, Pittsburgh.
COPELAND, J. M., of Copeland & Melhuish, Allegheny.
COUCH, GEORGE B., Colfax Imp. Co., Springdale, Pa.
COX, JAMES, Homestead, Pa.
CUNNINGHAM, D. M., of D. M. Cunningham & Co., Brushton, city.
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FARRING. N, C. E., with J. A. Young & Co., East End.
FAULKNER, B. R., of B. R. Faulkner Co., Pittsburgh.
FESTER, J. H., Allegheny.
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FOX, WALTER G., of Hood Realty Co., Pittsburgh.
FRICKER, R. J., with J. K. Ewing Co., Pittsburgh.
FRIES, O., of Pearson & Fries, Allegheny.
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GIBSON, W. G., Real Estate Trust Co., Economy office.
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If the Stomach Causes Distress, There's Something Wrong.

Does Baby's stomach cause trouble? Does constipation make Baby's days miserable and nights restless and increase your cares and worries?

Before you become really alarmed and call in the doctor to give the little one a lot of drugs, just stop and think about what you have been feeding Baby. Have you let it eat "what the others eat?"

Perhaps Baby is three or four years old and therefore you feast it on meat and potatoes and gravy and pie? If that's true, and it is true in countless thousands of homes, there is no mystery about Baby's stomach trouble.

You may reply that Baby has to have nourishing food just the same as anyone else. True enough. But it needs—and it must have, if it is to grow up and be healthy and robust—nourishing food that it can digest easily.

Most mothers know, though many of them never apply this knowledge, that in wheat Nature has provided for us one food which contains all the elements necessary for the sustenance of life and the positive assurance of health and happiness. When prepared in the form of Malta-Vita, wheat is the perfect food for babies, whether they are weak and sickly, or strong and well. And it is just as good for grown folks. All grocers sell Malta-Vita. Ready to eat. Crisp and delicious. Now 10 cents.

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COMMERCIAL CLEARING HOUSE,
432 Wood St.

ASSISTANT Bookkeeper to work under instructions. Business college graduate preferred; $50.00 per month.
COMMERCIAL CLEARING HOUSE,
432 Wood St.

ASSISTANT wanted to correspondent in collection department of manufacturing concern. Give age and experience. Address P. O. Box 685.

ASSISTANT Bookkeeper, wholesale house.
MERCANTILE, 434 Fourth Ave.

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Supplies the best male help in Allegheny county. Men who register with us all have excellent credentials and are men of character and appearance. We book no others. Let us furnish you with help to demonstrate our methods.

642 Smithfield st.

BILL Clerks (2), supply companies.
Bill clerk; glass company.
MERCANTILE, 434 Fourth Ave.

BLACKSMITH helper, in city.
MERCANTILE, 434 Fourth Ave.

BOY WANTED—A boy with about two years' experience in drug store; good wages for right party. Apply J. R. HITE, Pennsylvania Ave. and Fulton St., Allegheny.

BOOKKEEPER for trust company.
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BUTCHER—At once; one first-class all around butcher; will pay good wages. Long distance 'phone No. 4, Dellmont, Pa.

CARRIERS and postoffice clerks; splendid openings. Particulars, Superintendent Derr, 902 Empire bldg.

CEILING MEN; also helpers.
MERCANTILE, 434 Fourth Ave.

CLERK—Young man of good habits for city office; manufacturing company.
COMMERCIAL CLEARING HOUSE,
432 Wood St.

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DRIVERS and coal shovelers. Apply 8 a. m., Patterson Coal and Supply Co., 1222 Grant ave., Allegheny.

DRIVER for established laundry route; must be a hustler and able to give security; South Side man preferred. Address A 44, The Gazette.

DRIVERS for delivery, milk; also express.
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ENGINEER for Bessemer gas engine, out of city, large hotel.
MERCANTILE, 434 Fourth Ave.

EXPERIENCED salesman who can sell goods where they have a good proposition are wanted at 723 Liberty Ave., sixth floor. Call mornings, Hibler.

EXPERIENCED wagon washers; best wages paid. Apply at second floor, KAUFMANN'S STORE.

FOREMAN for farm, $35.00 month, and half interest; also white couple for farm, $35.00 month, free house, furniture and board; white couple for private place, $40.00 and keeping. 118 Ninth st.

GOOD canvassers for mandolin schools; big money. 2703 Fifth ave.

WANTED! BOYS.

The Protestant Home for Boys, 203 Anderson st., Allegheny, offers all the privileges of a well-ordered Christian home, with parlor, library, reading-room, and furnishes good substantial board with airy, well-kept rooms, at extremely reasonable rates. We also have facilities for evening study and mental improvement, and have an employment committee who will aid the boys in securing positions free of charge. We can accommodate a few more boys and extend the opportunity to worthy boys who desire a good home.

Star Agency: Bookkeepers, $60 to $1,500; office assistants, $40 to $65; draughtsmen, $60 to $125; tracers, $20 to $30; detailers, $25 to $35; drygoods, grocery, shoe, gents' furnishing and other clerks, $12 to $18; railroad office assistants, $65; collectors and janitors, $50. Star Agency, 120 Sixth St. Agency

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MERCANTILE, 434 Fourth Ave.

MACHINIST—Manufacturing company.
MERCANTILE, 434 Fourth Ave.

MILLWRIGHT for elevator company.
Millwright, manufacturing company.
MERCANTILE, 434 Fourth Ave.

MOLDERS—Ten heavy machinery molders, $3.50 for 9 hours; core makers, $3.50 for 9 hours. New shop, no trouble. Works at Reynoldsville. Pittsburgh Industrial Iron Works, 1218 Westinghouse Bldg.

MAN—Young, about 18 years old, to keep stock in wholesale jewelry house. Apply 718 Penn ave.

MAN wanted by small wholesale house, efficient man as credit man, cashier and bookkeeper; state salary wanted and full references. Address Y 86, The Gazette.

MEN and boys wanted to learn plumbing, bricklaying, plastering trades; pays $3 a day. Coyne Bros. Co., New York, Chicago, Cincinnati, St. Louis. Free catalogue.

MOLDERS—For steel foundry; steady work; good light shop. United Engineering and Foundry Co., Vandergrift, Pa.

OFFICE man, railroad company.
Office man, manufacturing company.
MERCANTILE, 434 Fourth Ave.

WANTED.

Male Help.

PARENTS can NOW PURCHASE SCHOLARSHIPS for sons and daughters on monthly payments; scholarships GUARANTEED money-making educations and honorable and profitable positions. DAY AND NIGHT SCHOOL FOR YOUNG AND MIDDLE-AGED MEN AND WOMEN. ACTUAL BUSINESS COLLEGE, Ten-Cent Store Bldg., 310 Fifth ave. CATALOGUE FREE. COMPLETE GRADUATING SCHOLARSHIPS ONLY $50. BEGIN NOW.

PATTERN MAKER to take care of patterns. Pattern maker for steel company.
MERCANTILE, 434 Fourth Ave.

PATTERNMAKERS; also molders for heavy work out of town. 903 Lewis Block.

SALESMAN—First-class salesman to sell phonographs on installment plan; permanent position. Columbia Phonograph Co., 636 Penn ave., city.

SODA DISPENSER—A good, clean, rapid, experienced; at once. Address P 41, The Gazette.

STENOGRAPHER for traffic department railroad. One familiar with car tracing, etc.
COMMERCIAL CLEARING HOUSE,
432 Wood St.

STOREKEEPERS, gaugers, clerks, inspectors, internal revenue and customs services; high salaries. Particulars, Superintendent Derr, 902 Empire bldg.

TWO men to do special police work; $75.00 and expenses. Call 118 Ninth st.

WAGON MAKER.
MERCANTILE, 434 Fourth Ave.

WANTED—Recruits for the U. S. marine corps; able-bodied, unmarried men, between 21 and 35; good character; must speak, read and write English; citizens of the United States or those who have legally declared their intention to become such; marines serve at sea on men-of-war in all parts of the world, on land in our island possessions, and at naval stations in the United States. Apply Postoffice building, fourth floor, Pittsburgh, Pa.

WANTED—Coat, pants and vestmakers; bushelman; good wages; steady work. 4716 Second ave., Pittsburgh.

WATCHMAN for prominent manufacturing concern, located on South Side. Married man preferred. Room 402-432 Wood St.

YOUNG MEN for clerical work.
Young men, stenographers.
MERCANTILE, 434 Fourth Ave.

Female Help.

A NURSE and a chambermaid; good place and good wages to the right applicants. Apply Dallas ave., third house above Penn.

A WOMAN, artistically inclined, desiring light and profitable employment with short hours, can find same by calling after 9:30; 310 Bissell block, cor. Seventh Ave. and Smithfield St.

CHECKERS—Experienced checkers for laundry. Apply Mohn Bros., 2632 Penn ave.

COOK—Experienced cook (white) for private family. Apply Thursdays or Saturdays at 717 Amberson ave.

GIRL—For general housework; two in family; $5 week. 207 W. Ohio.

GIRL for general housework; one accustomed to care of children preferred. Apply 43 Thomas ave., Bellevue, Pa.

GOOD white girl for general housework in small family; girl fond of children preferred; liberal wages. Apply Sixth and D sts., Oakmont. Bell 'phone 96 L-Oakmont.

LADIES who have had experience in public speaking, in religious or other work. Special assignment, pleasant and profitable. Call 2 to 4 only. Miss McCreary, 607 Bessemer Bldg.

LADIES—Home work; stamping transfers; $1.50 to $2.00 dozen. 219 Sixth st., room 311.

NURSE WANTED for infant; permanent position in East End home for right party; middle aged woman preferred. Address with references, W. H., Postoffice box 104, Pittsburgh.

NURSE GIRL—Experienced, not under 18 years of age; reference required. Apply at once, 209 Evaline st., near Penn ave.

OFFICE GIRL wanted; must live near or on South Side. Apply 1931 Carson st.

SKIRT AND WAIST MAKER of experience. 5647 Rural ave., East End.

WANTED—Middle-aged woman for housework; good home and wages. Address B 44, The Gazette.

WAITRESS—Wanted, one lady waitress with experience. Cottage Soda Fountain, 242 Fifth avenue.

WAITRESS (white) for private family. Apply 717 Amberson ave. Thursdays or Saturdays.

WAITRESS, 530 Grant st.

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AGENTS to introduce the 1906 Medical Annual and a new line of medical books for medical profession; exclusive territory can now be had; quick sales; good pay. E. B. Treat & Co., Medical Publishers, New York.

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Fifth Ave., 537-539, The Court Pharmacy.
Fifth Ave., 807, Philipkeiper Pharmacy.
Frankstown Ave., 280, T. J. Hermann.
Frankstown Ave., 6956, P. L. Jones.
Forbes St., 2307, The Lincoln Pharmacy.
Forbes and Ophelia St., Morgan's Pharmacy.
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Fifth Ave., 943, W. Eswhill & Son.
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Frankstown Ave., 21, L. W. Seaton.
Frankstown and Homewood Ave., Winfield & Smith.
Frankstown Ave., 205, H. O. Danner.
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FOR SALE—Cheap, Wilton velvet carpet, Oriental rugs, bronzes, vases, cut glass, china, bookcase, desk, hat rack, extension table, chairs, pictures, mantel cabinet, music cabinet, butler's tray, mirror, stove, and all household goods.

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FOR SALE—Center divan, cost $110, price $45; oak chiffonier, $4.50; three enameled beds with mattresses, $6.50; radiator, $1.50. 35 North Craig st., near Center.

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ALL stringed instruments sold, repaired. Rocco Balbo, 1416 Penn ave.

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AT AUCTION.
200—HIGH-CLASS HORSES—
AT AUCTION,
Wednesday, March 21,
At 10 O'Clock.
CONSISTING OF

Driving and coach horses.
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Consignors of our load lots.
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20 head draught horses.
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All horses guaranteed as represented or money cheerfully refunded.
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UNREDEEMED GYPSY RING—Beautiful, fine, brilliant diamonds, weighing over 1 kt.; sure you can recognize a bargain in this at $52

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SECOND-HANDED one and two-bowl washstands; also new marble washstands and bath tubs below cost to close out. Weldon & Kelly Co., 305 Wood st.

FOR SALE—Several second-hand soda fountains; fine condition; also new fountains; latest styles. 108 Market st.

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LARGEST stock of miscellaneous machines in city; rentals $2 up. Philadelphia Typewriter and Supply Co., Rooms 827-4 Lewis Bldg.

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FOR SALE—Fancy second-hand garments; ladies' and gents' (private house). J. Wald, 1841 Webster ave., Pittsburgh.

PORTABLE houses, practical and inexpensive. Andrew Thompson Dorrheet, Uniontown, Pa.

FOR SALE—Material of all kinds very cheap. See W. J. Kissack, Church ave., or 2020 Bedford ave.

BAR fixtures, billiard tables, easiest terms. DELPS, Fourth and Liberty.

FOR SALE—$30 camera and outfit; will trade for graphaphone or a good gun. Address Y 49, The Gazette.

MINES AND MINING.

INVESTMENT—Capitalists wanted, with $5,000 or $10,000, to open up two fine claims at Bullfrog, Nev. only one mile south of Schwab's great Mayflower mine. Address Jr. C. F. Bench, 261 North Sixth st., Philadelphia, Pa.

LEGAL NOTICES.

IN the court of common pleas No. 2, of Allegheny county, Pa. In re petition of Thomas A. Rex for satisfaction of mortgage. No. 785, April term, 1906. To J. B. Glass, or the heirs and legal representatives of J. B. Glass, and to all other persons interested: Notice is hereby given to the holder of a certain mortgage given by J. Flinn to J. B. Glass, dated April 15, 1889, and recorded in the recorder's office of Allegheny county, in mortgage book, volume 96, page 534, in the sum of $1,500, against all that certain lot of ground situate in the Sixth ward of the city of Pittsburgh, county of Allegheny and state of Pennsylvania, being lot No. 8, in plan of Dr. M. Cote, beginning on Locust street, 137 feet eastwardly from Van Braam street, at the corner of lot No. 8; thence extending along Locust street 21 feet; thence at right angles to Locust street, 120 feet to a 24-foot alley; thence along said alley, parallel with Locust street, towards Van Braam street, 21 feet to the corner of said lot No. 8; and thence northwardly 120 feet to the place of beginning; that Thomas A. Rex has filed his petition showing that he is the owner of the aforesaid lot, and that the first installment due on said mortgage, payable January 1, 1870, remains open and unsatisfied upon the record, and that no payment on account of principal or interest has been made during a period of more than 21 years, and that legal presumption of payment exists from lapse of time, and that the residence or whereabouts of the said J. B. Glass is unknown to the petitioner, and praying the court to order and decree that the land above described shall be released and discharged from the lien of the said mortgage. All persons interested are hereby notified and required to appear in said court on Saturday, the 21st day of April, 1906, to show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the petition should not be granted, according to the act of assembly in such cases made and provided. James W. Dickson, sheriff. R. S. Petty, Jr., attorney, Bakewell bldg.

ARCHIBALD BLAKELEY, Attorney-at-Law, No. 622 Bakewell building, Pittsburgh, Pa. State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss: In the court of common pleas No. 1, No. 155, September term, 1905, Carrie Banzer, by her next friend, vs. Joseph Banzer. And now to-wit: Saturday, the 1st day of March, 1906, on motion the court appointed Alfred M. Lee, Esq., commissioner, to take testimony in the above case and report the same to court. (Seal.) By the court. From the record, Wm. B. Kirker, Prothonotary. To Joseph Banzer, Respondent: You will please take notice that the undersigned having been appointed commissioner to take testimony in the above case and report the same to court, will attend to the duties of his appointment at the office of A. Blakeley, Esq., No. 622 Bakewell building, Pittsburgh, Pa., on Monday, the 9th day of April, 1906, at 2 o'clock p. m., when and where you may attend if you see proper. Alfred M. Lee, Commissioner.

C. C. LEE, Attorney-at-Law, St. Nicholas building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the governor of Pennsylvania on March 23, 1906, by George K. Anderson, Lewis Walker, Jr., and B. C. Youngman, Jr., under the act of assembly, entitled, "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called Alternating Lock Nut and Bolt Co., the character and object of which is the manufacture of iron and steel or both, or any other metal, or article of commerce from metal or wood, or both, especially the manufacture of bolts and nuts of a peculiar design, under letters patent from the United States, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said act of assembly and supplements thereto. C. C. Lee, Solicitor.

HUDSON & HOWLEY, Attorneys-at-Law, 450 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. County of Allegheny, ss: James H. Powell vs. Clara Powell. In the court of common pleas No. 3, No. 855 November term, 1903. In divorce a vinculo matrimoni. To Clara Powell, respondent: Take notice that the undersigned has been appointed master to take testimony ex-parte libellant in the above case, and to report same to the court with his opinion thereon, and that he will attend to his duties at the office of Hudson & Howley, No. 450 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa., on Tuesday, the 17th day of April, 1906, at 2 o'clock p. m., at which time and place you may attend if you see porper. Wm. M. Robinson, Master.

JOSEPH R. M'QUAIDE, Attorney-at-Law, No. 413 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Mrs. H. K. Klingensmith, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. H. K. Klingensmith, administrator, No. 3507 Penn ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

W. B. RODGERS, Attorney-at-Law, No. 424 Frick building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Per Bryhn, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. The Colonial Trust Company, administrator, Nos. 317 Fourth ave., and 314 to 318 Diamond st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

CHAS. W. DAHLINGER, Attorney-at-Law, No. 518 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Amelia Fugli, deceased, late of Allegheny City, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Anna Sutter, executrix, rear of No. 2113 Perrysville avenue, Allegheny, Pa.

WM. I. BERRYMAN, Attorney-at-Law, 337 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Violet Edmunds, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. The Union Trust Company of Pittsburgh, administrator, 337 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

JOSEPH H. BIALAS, Attorney-at-Law, Nos. 715-716 Park building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Agnes C. Roxbrough, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Charles L. Schaub, administrator, Shetland avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.

LANGFITT & M'INTOSH, Attorneys-at-Law, 252 Bakewell Law building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Christ Becker, deceased, late of Sewickley, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Lena Baker, executrix, Sewickley, Pa.

J. C. BOYER, Attorney-at-Law, No. 614 Frick building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Benjamin Goodworth, deceased, late of Bethel township, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Catherine Sunder, executrix, Fortieth ward, Pittsburgh, Pa.

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SPRINGER H. MOORE, Attorney-at-Law, 1228 Frick building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Milton L. Benizer, deceased, late of Ben Avon borough, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Howard M. Waybright, administrator, 811 Forest street, Avalon, Pa.

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C. C. LEE, Attorney-at-Law, St. Nicholas building. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Charles Schuck, deceased, late of Allegheny City, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. John Alig, executor, No. 219 Shady avenue, Allegheny City.

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ANOTHER PENN AVENUE PURCHASE

Lorenz Property at 323 Is Reported to Be Sold for $61,000.

GOOD SALES IN ALLEGHENY

The sale is reported of the Lorenz property at 323 Penn avenue for $61,000. For more than 40 years the property has been in the Lorenz family, and it is now owned by S. L. Lorenz and his mother. It has a frontage of 24 feet on the north side of the avenue, the second lot below the American club property on Fourth street, and runs back 108 feet to an alley. Adjoining it is the L. J. Herron lot which Theodore Cappell recently bought for $120,000, or $2,500 a front foot. The Lorenz lot is improved with a three-story brick house which has been used for a boarding house for some time. The new building of the Pittsburgh Harness Supply Company is going up on a nearby lot, and other buildings are contemplated for early erection in this vicinity, which make the price reported, a little over $2,500 a front foot, or $18 50 a square foot, seem reasonable.

Buying in First Ward Now.

Three sales in the First ward of Allegheny yesterday bear out the prediction made by many brokers and investors that the buying movement would soon extend to the streets below the Pt. Wayne railroad tracks. All the deals were handled by the Real Estate Savings and Trust Company. For Charles C. Strout and A. J. Gold it sold to an Allegheny business man 60x84 feet at the northeast corner of Lacock and School streets, opposite the Phipps playground, for $22,500. A three-story brick flat stands on the front and a frame dwelling on the rear of the lot. These are rented for $157 a month. The same company sold the R. Phillips property at the southeast corner of Robinson and Corey streets for $23,000, to W. G. Schaeffer and others. The lot measures 54x100 feet, with three brick houses in front and four frame dwellings in Corey street. These are rented for $135 a month. The Elmer C. Speer property, a brick house on 22x100 feet, at 607 West Robinson street, was also sold through this agency to a local investor for $5,700. All the properties are in a district which it is expected will come into some prominence as a wholesale section in case the Greater Pittsburgh bill goes through. Fresh rumors that the Wabash railroad is going to land in this part of Allegheny are creating considerable activity among property owners, and a number of options have lately been secured in the near vicinity of the properties sold yesterday.

Pennsylvania Wants a Triangle.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company is getting its agents busy once more in Wilkinsburg, and one of the properties said to be wanted is the Newell triangle at South avenue, Pitt street and the railroad. The lot includes probably one-half acre of ground, and is valued at between $50,000 and $60,000. It was formerly known as the Wills property, and has on it an old brick house. The Pennsylvania already owns another big triangle facing some 300 feet in Penn avenue, 250 feet in West street and 400 feet on the railroad. It is believed that the Newell plot is wanted to help the railroad company straighten its tracks, as it would be a useful property for this purpose along with the larger triangle mentioned which was bought several years ago. To enable the Pennsylvania to carry out its project it would also be necessary to have Penn street, north of Ross street frontage which is worth, with the improvements, at least $200 a foot.

Harry B. Davis' announced intention of building a vaudeville theater on the Kenyon and Harbison lots in Allegheny is causing property owners in that vicinity to get their prices up with a jolt. The John C. Wilson property at 915-919 Federal street, a short distance above Erie street, is now held, according to the statement of one of those interested in the ownership, at $125,000. Several good offers have been made lately for the property, which measures 92x240 feet to West Diamond street, and is improved with a hotel, drug store and grocery store in front and a big livery barn in the rear.

Contract for 20 Houses.

The Reliance Building Company, lately organized, yesterday awarded the contract to F. C. Martsolf for the erection of 20 brick houses to cost from $3,000 to $4,500 each. Ten of them will be built on 30-foot lots in Bunker Hill and Sumner avenues, in the Brookline allotment, where they will be within 15 minutes' ride of Fifth avenue. They will be of different designs, a number of them to be of the brick and shingle type of residence which is becoming so popular around Pittsburgh. The other 10 houses will be built in the East Bellevue allotment which was put on last year. The houses will be completed by July 1 and will be handled by the Freehold Real Estate Company.

E. P. Roberts & Sons, jewelers, who a few weeks ago leased the lower one of the former Horne-Stewart stores in Fifth avenue, has commissioned Architects Mueller & East to prepare plans for a store front of marble and bronze which will have no superior in Pennsylvania. The Roberts firm will occupy the entire first floor, and the same concern which did the counter work for Tiffany's and Gorham's jewelry palaces in New York will finish the room. The upper floors of the building are being remodeled and refinished, and will be leased for lofts as soon as the elevators are installed.

Architects Nirdlinger & Simpson have plans for a $15,000 residence for Cyrus S. Gray of the Fidelity Title and Trust Company, to be built in North Negley avenue.

Architect Arthur Vernon of Homestead, has let the contract to Gerrard Gibson & Co. of Wilkinsburg, for a three-story brick apartment house in Braddock for Nathan Goldstein, to cost $30,000.

Profit of $1,000 in One Month.

Through the Aronson-Friedman Company, D. O. Ihmsen has sold a downtown business man 75x150 feet in Rebecca street for $18,000. Mr. Ihmsen bought the property from Max Blum one month ago for $17,000.

Sheldon Catlin is the buyer of the George D. Ogden residence property at 5307 Westminster street, Twentieth ward, 35.6x104.5 feet, which was sold a short time ago through A. Z. Byers & Co. for $10,500.

George Schmidt & Son have sold for George Schmidt to a well-known business man a modern brick residence on 41x100 feet at Swissvale avenue and Walnut street, Edgewood, for $11,000.

The Clinton Iron & Steel Company has taken title from the Clinton Cement Company to 134x71 feet of property on the south side of West Carson street, Thirty-third ward, the consideration named in the deed being nominal. The property adjoins other holdings of the steel company.

Allegheny: The Pennsylvania and Ohio Farm Company sold for C. N. Bingler to F. D. Pippett an eight-room frame house on 25x125 feet on the north side of Ellis street, Allegheny, for $5,000.

McKeesport: James W. Turner sold for Edwin C. Haslett to W. L. Fawcett a six-room frame house in Wennett street, McKeesport, for $2,000; for Thomas S. Lyons to J. M. Poorbaugh Company a five-room frame house on the west side of Girard avenue, Lincoln place, for $1,200; for Peter Russell to James T. Gries a five-room house on the south side of Dilworth street, Mt. Washington, for $2,400; for the Lincoln Place Realty Company to Hugh A. Thompson, a lot on the west side of Woodland avenue, Lincoln place, for $200.

Allegheny: The Real Estate Savings and Trust Company sold for the Merchants Land Company to John McDonald 50x100 feet in Richey avenue, Fifteenth ward, Allegheny, for $1,700.

Sales by One Company.

Kirkpatrick street: John Coll of the Real Estate Corporation, sold for Harry Lieberman to S. H. Rubenstein three brick houses on 40x85 feet in Kirkpatrick street, near Cater avenue, for $5,850. The houses are rented for $70 a month. He also sold for J. M. Loose to M. Roth 75x128 feet in Bedford avenue, near Herron avenue for $1,500; to Samuel Rubenstein two lots, 20x100 feet each, in Greenfield avenue, Beechwood boulevard plan, for $2,500.

Locust street: The Aronson Realty Company sold for S. Sedursky of Finleyville to P. R. Becker a ten-room brick

THOMAS A. SMITH.

Thomas A. Smith is senior member of the firm of T. A. Smith & Co., which is located at 803 Federal street, Allegheny, and has made many North Side sales. He is an Allegheny man by birth, and served a long apprenticeship in the real estate business with the old firm of Pearson & Kirschler.

house on 24x90 feet at 1802 Locust street, near Miltenberger street, for $7,000. The same firm sold to J. H. Gopher an eight-room house at 74 Manilla street for $5,000.

Chartiers road: Michael Nauman sold to W. J. Howick 26x150 feet on the Chartiers road, Fortieth ward, for $4,200.

Bedford avenue: Myer Caplan sold to Libbie D. and Bessie Hirschfield an improved lot, 20x101 feet, on the south side of Bedford avenue, Thirteenth ward, for $4,700.

Webster avenue: Jane D. Penrosa sold to Peter Lowrey and W. J. White an improved lot, 16x60 feet, at the southeast corner of Webster avenue and Davis street, Eleventh ward, for $3,200.

New Buildings on North Side.

Building permits in Allegheny were issued to the following yesterday: To Sunshine heirs for the erection of a one-story brick stable and warehouse in North avenue, to cost $8,500; to Kerr & Snodgrass, for a brick addition to a warehouse at Isabella and Sandusky streets, to cost $4,000; to E. Wallewell for a two-story frame dwelling in Wabash avenue, to cost $3,000; to Otto Eichelberger for a two-story frame dwelling on Catocton street, to cost $1,000.

Building permits were issued in Pittsburgh to T. J. Bray for a two-story brick dwelling in Dallas avenue, Twenty-second ward, to cost $18,000; J. F. Sweeney, 15 two-story frame dwellings in Edith street, Thirty-fifth ward, to cost $21,000; E. W. Houston two two-story brick dwellings in Llewellyn street, Twenty-first ward, to cost $4,200; Mrs. Dora Freyvogel, two-story frame dwelling in Shaler street, Thirty-fifth ward, to cost $2,000; William Johnson, two-story brick dwelling in Stanton avenue, Eighteenth ward, to cost $3,000; Heinhold Goumen, two-story frame dwelling in Republic street, Thirty-fifth ward, to cost $2,000.

Transfers Recorded.

Crawford S E to R Morrison, March 16, Avalon, 25x109; Florence ave	$ 2,500
Phillips Wm A to W R Phillips, Jan 27, Crotopolis, 108x175, Fourth ave, ¼ interest	1,000
Braddock Land Co to J M Gorman, Mch 8, Franklin, 200x164, Dale st	8,000
Struible A E to Stella McLaughlin, Mch 8, 14th wd, Pgh, 20x90, Kennett st	1,750
Morgan W J to P. Schnise, July 26, Carnegie, 70x30, Osage alley	1,400
Rost Augusta to M K Hetzlein, Mch 12, McKees Rocks, 25x82, Frank st	1,900
Billingsley W R to M A Rusk, Mch 17, Ingram, 23x120, Stanley st	2,500
Jamison W H to Sarah J Negley, Mch 13, 15th wd, Alle, 22x82, Broadway	1,100
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Howick Wm J to M Nauman, Mch 12, Union twp, 30x197, Broadway	1,000
Kerr David to Ellen Welsh, Mch 9, 2d wd, McKeesport, 20x70, Seventh ave	5,000
Gangwisch J P to Helen H Faris, Mch 5, 2d wd, Wilkinsburg, 25x116, West st	8,000
Chisler Estella M to D M Decker, Mch 15, 7th wd, McKeesport, 25x135, Beech st	1,950
Hardin Chas H to Jennie Hosier, Mch 14, 4th wd, Braddock, 66x55, Fifth ave	1,950
Booth James to J P Haworth, Mch 12, Edgeworth, 198x166, Woodland road	15,000
Haber Edna M to A W Ackley, Jan 15, 35th wd, Pgh, 25x100, Althea st	3,600
Spousler W H to J B Pancost, Feb 19, 23d wd, Pgh, 46x100, Hazelwood ave	1,200
Cleney A J to Ame B Gross, Mch 9, Avalon, 30x75, Marie st	3,000
Aspinwall-Delafield Co to M W Rohn, Mch 2, Aspinwall, 85x162, Brilliant ave	2,500
Aspinwall-Delafield Co to H W Duckwall, Aug 5, Aspinwall, 67x80, Brilliant ave	2,800
Starkamp A K to J S Wilson, Mch 5, 7th wd, Alle, 25x90, Cabinet st	5,000
Kratz Wilhelmina to Joseph Dixon, Feb 28, 31th wd, Pgh, 25x100, Republic st	1,100
Alle Real Est Impt Co to Robt D Hunter, Mch 16, 1st wd, Bellemier, 49x100, Watkins ave	1,200
Interurban Land Co to J P Thompson, Mch 10, Avalon, 28x100, Norwood ave	6,500
Same to same, Mch 10, Ross twp, 25x136, Lang ave	700
Woodward C to May S Reling, Feb 1, 2d wd, N Braddock, 48x132, Cliff st	2,550
Pitcairn Impt Co to Sarah L Steel, Dec 28, Pitcairn, 22x80, Fifth st	2,700
Twin City Impt Co to Geo Blair, Sept 8, 23d wd, Pgh, 29x83, Blair st	2,500
Wood S L to V P Marler, July 1, Crafton, 5 lots, S L Woods plan	8,500
Means S M to Sarah J Gilchrist, June 14, 2d wd, Bellevue, 80x140, Means ave	1,200
Williams W J to Wm F Held, Mch 5, 22d wd, Pgh, 24x120, Linden ave	2,050
Aspinwall-Delafield Co to W J Patterson, Mch 5, Aspinwall, 46x102, Lexington ave	2,800
Weaver, Leonard to Ida Gefsky, Mch 15, 9th wd, Pgh, 20x64, Penter ave	14,650
Smith Ella M to S A H Silbaugh, Mch 12, 2d wd, Alle, 20x50, Sherman ave	5,000
Gill Wm C to A K Starkamp, Mch 1, 19th wd, Pgh, 25x132, Melon st	7,000
Heinrich E E to August Heldt, Jan 20, 31st wd, Pgh, 50x114, Walter ave	7,500
Pharr Thos L Jr to Pgh Motor Vehicle Co, Sept 13, 20th wd, Pgh, 91x84, Sumnerlea	8,100
Heidman Louis to A G Smith, Mch 13, Montooth, 25x120, Frederick ave	2,000
Roster Gezo to S Richman, Feb 15, 11th wd, Pgh, 18x48, Diana alley	1,900
Whitney John to Thomas Burke, Jan 8, 11th wd, Pgh, 40x127, Bedford ave	5,000
Young M D to W G Sprague, Mch 1, Ingram, 50x110, Marietta st	2,800
Coleman A J to W A Griffith, Mch 15, 30th wd, Pgh, 100x190, Ella st	13,000
Downey J J to Jno McKeown, Mch 7, 13th wd, Pgh, 30x82, Columbo st	2,050

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

NEW YORK, March 19.—Butter irregular; receipts, 6,698 packages; street price, extra creamery, 27½@28c; official prices, creamery, common to extra, 18@27c; do held, common to extra, 19@23c; state dairy, common to extra, 15@23c; renovated, common to extra, 12½@19½c; western factory, common to firsts, 13@16c; western imitation, creamery extras, 20c; do firsts, 17c. Cheese firm; receipts, 2,048 boxes; state, full cream, small and large, colored and white fancy, 14@14½c; do good to prime, 13½@13¾c; do common to fair, 11@13c; skims, full to light, 3@11½c. Eggs strong; receipts, 6,526 cases; state, Pennsylvania and nearby fancy, selected, white, 21@23c; do choice, 19@20c; do mixed extra, 17@17½c; western firsts, 18c; do seconds, 15½c; southerns, 14@16c.

CHICAGO, March 19.—Butter steady; creameries, 19@24½c; dairies, 18@23c. Eggs steady at mark; cases included, 18½c; firsts, 18½c; prime firsts, 14½c; extras, 19c. Cheese steady at 11¾@12c.

PHILADELPHIA, March 19.—Butter steady; extra western creamery, 25c; do nearby prints, 32c. Eggs firm; nearby fresh, 19½c at mark; western fresh, 15½c at mark. Cheese quiet; New York full creams, fancy, 13¾@14c; do choice, 13¼@13½c; do fair to good, 12½@13c.

ELGIN, Ill., March 19.—Butter firm today at 27 cents. Sales for the week, 487,500 pounds.

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, March 19.—The market for coffee futures opened steady at unchanged prices to a decline of 5 points under small offerings in the absence of demand. Early cables were about steady, but Havre lost ¼ franc toward her close, and the local market eased off to a net decline of 5@10 points without attracting any improved demand. The close was dull at a net decline of 5@10 points, with sales reported of only 2,750 bags, including May at 6.85c; July, 7.05c; spot Rio quiet, mild steady. Sugar, raw firm; fair refining, 3.49c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 19-16c; molasses sugar, 2¾c; refined steady; molasses very steady.

Turpentine and Rosin.

SAVANNAH, Ga., March 19.—Turpentine firm, 69½c; sales, 59 bbls; receipts, 46 bbls; shipments, 463 bbls.

Rosin firm; sales, 1,174 bbls; receipts, 764 bbls; shipments, 820 bbls; stock, 35,611 bbls. Quote—A, B, C, D, E, F, $2 90; G, $3 95; H, $4 05; I, $4 55; K, $5 20; M, $5 45; N, $5 90; W G, $6 10; W W, $6 20.

CHARLESTON, S. C., March 19.—Turpentine and rosin, nothing doing.

WILMINGTON, N. C., March 19.—Spirits turpentine, nothing doing. Receipts, 13 casks. Rosin, nothing doing; receipts, 246 bbls. Tar firm, $1 60; receipts, 211 bbls. Crude turpentine firm, $3 25, $3 60 and $5 00; receipts, 43 bbls.

SNOW IN SOUTHWEST CAUSES WEAKNESS

May Option Is Kept Steady by a Lively Demand for the Cash Article.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, March 19.—The wheat market opened strong with prices of all options showing moderate gains. Initial quotations on May were ⅛c to ¼c higher at 79c to 79⅛c. Within the first few minutes it reached 79⅝@79⅞c on active demand from shorts and commission houses, based chiefly on an advance of ¾d at Liverpool. At the end of the first half hour, however, the market showed signs of weakness. Pit traders and commission houses sold the July delivery freely, and that option gradually eased off. May declined in sympathy with July, going down to 78⅝c. The extremely favorable weather for fall sown wheat in the southwest caused the bulk of sales. It was reported from Kansas City that there is now a prospect of a record breaking crop this year. As the session advanced the July option continued to decline until the price was almost 1c below the closing quotation of Saturday. At the same time, however, May held steady on a fairly active demand by commission houses based upon the strength of cash wheat at Minneapolis and Kansas City. At the close the May option was steady, but future deliveries were easy. Final quotations on May were at 78⅝c. July opened at 78¼@78⅝c, sold off to 77⅞c, closed with a net loss of ⅝@¾c at 78c. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 242,500 bushels. The amount on passage increased 1,725,000, while the visible supply decreased 423,000 bushels. Primary receipts were 371,000 bushels, against 805,000 bushels for the corresponding day one year ago.

Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 323 cars, against 373 cars last week and 607 cars one year ago.

Corn was strong throughout the day. There was extensive covering by shorts and also active buying by commission houses and cash interests. An advance of ½c in the price of cash corn, firm cables and unfavorable weather for the movement of the crop were the chief influences for higher prices. The market closed firm. May opened ½@¾c to ¾@⅞c higher at 44c to 44¼c, sold between 43⅞c and 44¼c and closed at 44⅛c. Local receipts were 171 cars, with 35 contract grade.

Oats were in fair demand by shorts and the market was firm all day. Offerings were light and came largely from small holders. May opened ¼c to ⅜c higher at 29⅝@30c, advanced to 30½c, and closed at 30¼c. Local receipts, 184 cars.

Notwithstanding a 5c to 10c decline in the price of live hogs, the provision market was firm and trading active. There was a strong investment demand for all products and excellent inquiry for lard and meats, while local packers were liberal purchasers of lard and ribs. At the close May pork was up 17½c at $15.20. Lard was 20c higher, at $8.17½. Ribs advanced 15c to $8.65.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 5 cars; corn, 291 cars; oats, 221 cars; hogs, 25,000 head.

The leading futures, as reported by Messrs. Armstrong & Co., Farmers Bank building, Pittsburgh, members of the Chicago board of trade, ranged as follows:

ARTICLES.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes'r-day's Close.
WHEAT.					
May	79⅛	79¼	78⅝	78⅞	78⅞
July	78⅝	78⅝	77¾	78	78⅛
September	78¼	78¼	77⅛	77¾	78⅛
CORN.					
May	44⅛	44⅛	43¾	44⅛	43⅝
July	45⅝	44⅝	44⅛	44⅜	44⅛
September	44⅞	45⅛	44⅝	45	44⅝
OATS.					
May	30	30¼	29¾	30⅛	29⅝
July	29¼	29⅜	29	29⅝	29⅜
September	28⅝	28⅝	28⅜	28⅝	28⅛
MESS PORK.					
May	16 07½	16 20	16 05	16 20	16 02½
July	16 02½	16 17½	16 00	16 15	15 97½
LARD.					
May	8 03	8 17½	8 02	8 17½	7 97½
July	8 20	8 30	8 15	8 30	8 10
September	8 32½	8 40	8 25	8 40	8 22½
SHORT RIBS.					
May	8 50	8 65	8 50	8 65	8 50
July	8 52½	8 67½	8 52½	8 65	8 52½
September	8 52½	8 70	8 62½	8 70	8 62½

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour steady; No. 2 spring wheat, 79@81c; No. 3, 73@79c; No. 2 red, 82½@84c; No. 2 corn, 42½c; No. 2 yellow, 43c; No. 2 oats, 30¼c; No. 2 white, 30½@30¾c; No. 3 white, 29½@31¼c; No. 2 rye, 60@60½c; good feeding barley, 37@38c; fair to choice, 40@50c; No. 1 flax seed, $1 06; No. 1 northwestern, $1 12; mess pork, bbls, $15 00@15 15; lard, in tcs, 100 lbs, $8 12½; short ribs sides (loose), $8 50@8 65; short clear sides (boxed), $8 65@8 70; whisky, basis of high wines, $1 28; clover, contract grade, $12 65.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	22,700	20,100
Wheat, bushels	181,000	160,100
Corn, bushels	200,500	140,300
Oats, bushels	342,900	1,900
Rye, bushels	4,000	25,900
Barley, bushels	55,900	

NEW YORK, March 19.—Flour—Receipts, 14,462 barrels; exports, 7,105 barrels. Firm but quiet. Rye flour steady. Cornmeal firm. Rye nominal. Barley dull. Wheat—Receipts, 46,000 bushels; exports, 40,633 bushels; spot steady. No. 2 red, 83¾c elevator; No. 2 red, 87¾c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, 89¾c f. o. b. afloat. The early wheat market showed decided strength and considerable advance based on higher cables, light Argentine offerings and moderate seaboard supplies. The gains were helped by the visible supply decrease and small receipts, but in trying to unload later caused a sharp decline, the close showing ⅛@⅜c net loss. May, 85⅝@86¼c, closed 86¼c; July, 84⅛@84⅞c, closed 84¼c; September, 82⅝@83½c, closed 83c. Corn—Receipts, 109,200 bushels; exports, 241,871 bushels. Spot firm. No. 2, 52½c elevator and 49c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 50c; No. 2 white, 50c. Option market had a higher opening and subsequent further advance on firm cables, the wheat upturn and covering, but in the afternoon eased slightly with wheat closing ⅛ to ¼c net higher. May, 50¼@50⅝c, closed 50⅜c; July, 50¾@50¾c, closed 50¾c; September closed 50⅝c; December closed 47¾c. Oats—Receipts, 37,000 bushels; exports, 5,734 bushels. Spot firm. Mixed oats, 26 to 32 pounds, 35@35½c; natural white, 30 to 32 pounds, 35@36c; clipped white, 36 to 40 pounds, 39½@38¾c. Hay steady. Hops quiet.

LIVERPOOL, March 19.—Wheat, spot, nominal; futures steady; March nominal; May, 6s 6¾d; July, 6s 6¾d. Corn, spot, American mixed, new firm, 4s 11½d; American mixed old, steady, 4s 7½d. Futures steady; March nominal; May, 4s 2¼d. Hops, in London (Pacific coast), quiet, £2@3 5s.

MILWAUKEE, March 19.—Wheat—No. 1 northern, 79@80c; May, 78⅝c asked. Rye steady; No. 1, 63@63½c. Barley—No. 2, 54@55c; sample, 47½@49c. Corn—No. 3 cash, 41½@42c; May, 41¾@41¾c.

ST. LOUIS, March 19.—Wheat—No. 2 red, cash, 87@88c; May, 76¼c; July, 75⅝c; No. 3 hard, 76¼@78c. Corn—No. 2 cash, 41¾@42c; May, 41⅞@42⅛c; July, 42⅛@42¾c. Oats—No. 2 cash, 30¼c; May, 30¼c; July, 29@29½c. No. 2 white, 32½@33c.

DULUTH, March 19.—Wheat—No. 1 northern, 76⅝c; No. 2 northern, 74⅝c; May, 77¼c; July, 76¾c; September, 73½c.

PHILADELPHIA, March 19.—Wheat firm and ½c higher; contract grade, March, $26@84½c. Corn strong and ½c higher; March, 46¾@47c. Oats quiet; No. 2 white natural, 38c; No. 2 white clipped, 36¢@36½c. Receipts—Flour, 1,000 barrels, 827,000 pounds in sacks; wheat, 500 bushels; corn, 5,000 bushels; oats, 28,000 bushels. Shipments—Wheat, 500 bushels; corn, 25,000 bushels; oats, 237,500 bushels.

MINNEAPOLIS, March 19.—Wheat—May, 76¾c; July, 79½c; September, 77½c; No. 2 hard, 77½c; No. 1 northern, 76¾c; No. 2 northern, 76¼@76¾c. Flour—First patents, $4 00@4 15; second patents, $3 80@3 90; first clears, $3 50@3 60; second clears, $2 40@2 55. Bran in bulk $13 50@13 75.

TOLEDO, O., March 19.—Clover seed: Cash, $7 85; March, $7 85; April, $7 80; October, $6 22½.

Timothy—Cash, $1 60. Alsike—Cash, $8 25.

Pig Iron Certificates Market.

NEW YORK, March 19.—(Special.)—Pig iron quotations at the 11 o'clock call on the Produce exchange:

	Regular. Bid.	Asked.	Foundry. Bid.	Asked.
Cash	15.75	....	16.00	16.75
March	15.80	16.50	16.00	16.75
April	15.90	16.50	16.00	16.75
May	15.90	16.50	16.00	16.75
June	15.90	16.50	....	....

Market quiet.

Keener Sand Gives to Melrose Company Another fair Producer

On Point Pleasant creek, Ellsworth district, Tyler county, the Melrose Oil and Gas Company has drilled its test on the Clark Lazear farm into the Keener sand and has a show for a 50-barrel producer. This test is located in the new Keener development, in the vicinity of the Southern and Lincoln Oil Companies' good producers on the Workman farms. The Melrose Oil Company has given its No. 1 on the William Lazear farm a shot and increased its production from 50 to 95 barrels a day. On Llewellyn creek, Mannington district, Marion county, the Burt Oil Company has drilled its No. 4 on the Daniel Varner farm deeper into the fourth sand and got an increase in gas pressure. A light show of oil was developed in the Gordon. In the Salem district, Harrison county, the South Penn Oil Company has drilled its second test on the Clyde bailey farm through the Gordon and has a 15-barrel producer. In the same district the same company's No. 3 on the S. Nutter farm is holding up at 40 barrels a day. In the Folsom district, Wetzel county, the South Penn Oil Company has drilled its No. 58 on the Genine Robinson tract 20 feet into the stray and the hole has filled up 200 feet with fluid.

In the Middlebourne district, Tyler county, the South Penn company has drilled its test on the A. A. Haught farm 60 feet into the Big Injun and got nothing but a big dose of salt water. In the Yellow Creek district, Calhoun county, the South Penn Oil Company's No. 1 on the G. W. Silcott farm has been drilled through the Berea grit and is producing 50 barrels a day. This location is 650 feet northeast of the Aleco Oil and Gas Company's test on the Pell-Greathouse farm. In the same district the Eastern Oil Company is due in the sand at a test on the Don Ferrell farm and C. L. Cabot has started to drill at a test on the Joseph Wilson farm. The Aleco Oil and Gas Company will be due in the sand at a test on the P. H. Greathouse this week.

In the Lewisville district, on the Ohio side, in Monroe county, there is a little extension to the old Lewisville district that is furnishing some good producers. Some weeks ago Longfellow & Co. completed a good producer on the John Moore farm. A short time ago W. G. Decker started a test on the Elisabeth Fisher farm and this well has now been drilled into the Keener sand and is good for a 75-barrel producer. The location is 1,200 feet northwest of the good producer on the John Moore farm. In Sycamore valley, in the same county, the Ridgeway Oil Company has drilled its test on the J. S. Hall farm through the Berea grit and found that formation, like all of the upper sands, dry. In the Marietta district, Washington county, George L. Craig & Co. have completed No. 1 on the Reuben heirs' farm and will have a very light pumper in the Macksburg 700-foot sand.

In the Adams pool, in the second sand development, the Loretta Oil Company has completed a test on the McCombs 20 acres and got a 15-barrel producer in the Berea grit. This test is located on the west side of developments and shows an extension in that direction. This well coming in a fair producer is nothing of a surprise, as the location was not regarded favorable for a producer. In the old development north of the Adams pool, Samuel Crane has a well on the Samuel Adams farm that is flowing at the rate of 60 barrels a day.

Preston & Wilson of Buffalo, N. Y., have a duster at their test on the W. Ferrell farm. The Independence Oil Company's second test on the Frank Heavlin farm, completed a week ago, is producing 10 barrels a day. The same company is drilling No. 3 on the same farm. This location is one mile south of the old Adams pool and the well produces from two pays. In the vicinity of Cadiz there is considerable new work starting and there will be more as soon as the roads are in a better condition. With the return of spring Harrison county will be given a very thorough testing. In a number of localities there is room for small pools.

In the Georgetown district, Beaver county, Negley, Hutchie & Ewing have completed No. 2 on the Smith C. Shane farm and have a show for a 15-barrel producer in the Berea grit.

Shipments and Runs.

Shipments and runs of the Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana fields:

PENNSYLVANIA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
March 17	58,818	March 16	77,301
Previously	1,030,879	Previously	937,033
Total	1,084,088	Total	1,014,334
Daily average	60,806	Daily average	67,434

LIMA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
March 17	80,171	March 16	57,995
Previously	967,750	Previously	559,167
Total	1,037,891	Total	614,133
Daily average	61,052	Daily average	58,196

The Oil Market.

The following are the quotations for credit balances in the different fields: Pennsylvania, $1 68; Tiona, $1 68; Second Sand, $1 62; Cabell, $1 15; Corning, $1 10; New Castle, $1 85; North Lima, 94c; South Lima, 89c; Indiana, 89c; Somerset, 89c; Ragland, 85c. The Producers and Refiners Company quotes $1 68 for Pennsylvania oil.

OIL CITY, March 19.—Credit balances, $1 68. Shipments, 92,792 barrels; average, 61,119 barrels; runs, 113,490 barrels; average, 61,705 barrels. Shipments Lima, 127,201 barrels; average, 66,312 barrels; runs, 76,095 barrels; average, 57,309 barrels.

TOLEDO, March 19.—Oil—North Lima, 94c; South Lima and Indiana, 89c.

RADICALS BARRED FROM THE POLLS

Russian Election Proves Mere Farce With Troops and Police in Control.

FEW WORKMEN PARTICIPATE

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

ST. PETERSBURG, March 19.—As the elections proceed there is more and more evidence of the virtual exclusion from participation of the Radical elements of the population. The preliminary stages of the elections will rob the national assembly of much of its national character. Its authority to speak will be absolutely denied by the proletariat organizations which bore the brunt of the fight for liberty. Complaints of interference and duress in the country districts are increasing. Many flagrant instances are cited of the terrorism of local officials in preventing a free expression of the peasants and often practically compelling the selection of priests and village elders. The seeming apathy of the small land owners' assemblies at which an average of only 10 per cent of the voters were present is explainable by the fact that they were not free to choose.

The most serious phase of the situation, however, is the attitude of the workmen in the cities who constitute politically the most developed and most radical faction of the masses of the people in spite of the repression, wholesale arrest and frequently the exile of their leaders since the strike disorders, many workmen are inclined to reject the advice of the Socialists to boycott the elections. The authorities instead of taking advantage of this sentiment and inducing the workmen as a class to participate, have with fatuous blindness, openly discouraged their participation where the radical elements are in the majority, thus deliberately playing the game of the boycotters and driving the whole working class into revolt. This was apparent at the workmen's elections yesterday in St. Petersburg, where the elections were a complete farce.

Nominally 41 out of the 39 working groups entitled to participate elected 20 out of 57 delegates to the convention which will select 18 representatives for the city to the convention, which in turn elects for St. Petersburg six members of the national assembly. In reality the number of workmen participating was infinitesimal. Where the elections were ostensibly held, only 569 out of 21,789 workmen voted and they almost invariably chose reactionists.

Troops and Police Control.

As an example, at the Newsky works a hundred voters out of 6,000 elected five members of the "League of the Russian People," and three men belonged to the "Party of Law and Order," two prominent reactionary organizations. There was an overwhelming display of troops and police in the districts, and places where the men assembled.

Some of the men held meetings and discussed the advisability of participating, but the great mass simply withdrew, declaring that during the present reign of terror the designation of their real choice was equivalent to turning over the men to the police. In the big Okhta and Moscow districts not a single man has been elected. The railroad employes unanimously refused to vote until the imprisoned members of their organization are released from jail.

At the Narva works the men employed in 44 shops boycotted the elections, declaring that their candidates who were not in jail had been dismissed. Saturday. Prof. Paul M. Milukoff, editor of the Rech, organ of the constitutional democrats, addressed a large meeting of workmen, urging the necessity for their participating. He made a good impression, but the moment he in his tempered speech pronounced the word "Opposition" the police interfered, closed the meeting and the workmen left in disgust.

At the Kolpino works the men were hotly discussing the question of participation in the election when they were surrounded and dispersed by troops who mortally wounded a workman.

At Moscow yesterday where the workmen delegates met for the second election stage, to select representatives to the city congress the greatest confusion prevailed and no result was attained, the delegates insisting on being allowed time to get acquainted as the choices were limited to the members present. There were 182 candidates, although only 18 qualified for election.

Where the Real Fight Is.

In the meantime the leaders of the real parties in the fight for supremacy in the national assembly are concentrating their efforts for the final struggle in the provincial and city conventions, which choose the actual members of the national assembly. Little attention is paid by the Liberals to the new council of the empire, which is foredoomed to be controlled by the government.

It is becoming apparent that the progressive and liberal elements with chances of actual representation are uniting with the constitutional democrats. They have already made a good showing, capturing 20, of whom Prof. Manuiloff, rector of the Moscow university, is one, out of 52 small land owners' delegates of Moscow province. Their candidates for the national assembly, for which full tickets are in the field, have already come forward for election to the conventions to which they must be elected in order to insure them eligibility for election to the national assembly. Ivan Petrunkeviten, their choice for president of the national assembly, is a candidate at Tver; M. Roditcheff, M. Hessen, M. Feodoroff and others are candidates here, and M. Kokoshkine, Prince Paul Dolgoroukoff and M. Teslinko are candidates at Moscow.

The conservative middle party, represented by the "League of October 30," and the "Party of Law and Order," have full lists in the field under the leadership of M. Guchkoff, Dmitri Shipoff and M. Pievoka at Moscow and Baron Serge Alexander Korff, M. Krosovsky and Count Heyden in St. Petersburg.

The reactionists also have tickets headed by Vladimir Gringmuth, M. Schmakoff and Prince Tcherbatoff at Moscow, and Prof. Nicholsky and M. Kamaroff in St. Petersburg.

M. Kroushevan, editor of the Droug (Friend), the noted anti-Semite, is a candidate at Kishineff, but he is not considered to have a chance.

The Party of Trade and Industry will undoubtedly elect some members and will be a conservative factor.

The present indications are that the constitutional demands will constitute the Left Party, with not over one-third of the membership. The majority will consist of the center party and conservatives with their position not sharply defined, and a few extreme reactionists. The constitutional democrats believe that with political development that may draw enough strength from the center to enable them to obtain control, especially if the government shows a reactionary disposition.

ODESSA, March 19.—A nephew of the late Interior Minister Pipiaguine and a leading candidate of the constitutional democrats for election to the national assembly has been expelled from Odessa.

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N. Y. STOCKS WEAK AND LOWER ALL AROUND

There Was No Sign of Support and Prices Closed at or Near the Lowest—Pittsburgh Market Dominated by Mining Shares.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

There was a resumption of liquidation in the New York stock market yesterday. During the first half of the session trading was extremely dull and the tone barely steady. During the afternoon the reactionary tendency became pronounced, trading was more active and the entire market turned decidedly weak and nervous. The close was at or near the lowest prices of the day. The sales foot up 750,400 shares.

There was no news to account for the weakness and liquidation. It is true that the greatest activity and the largest declines occurred after the news was received from Indianapolis that Francis L. Robbins, president of the Pittsburgh Coal Company and chairman of the conference of bituminous operators, had resigned the latter position and that J. H. Winder, the head of the largest independent operators in the Ohio field, had been elected to the chairmanship of the operators' conference. The impression has prevailed that Mr. Robbins was in favor of an agreement with the miners that would avert a strike, while the independent operators were opposed to any concessions to the miners. Whether this impression is well founded or not, Wall street construed this news as foreshadowing a strike in the bituminous coal fields. It might be said in this connection that on various occasions of late there has been news of a more unsettling character and the market has not been affected. If this was the real cause for the resumption of liquidation yesterday it indicates the change that has occurred in the character of the market.

Another unsettling factor was the entire absence of support in the stocks which have been looked upon as market leaders and which on former occasions have been well supported. Union Pacific is an example. That stock yesterday was relatively as heavy as any of the other railroads, closing with a net loss of 1½ per cent. Northern Pacific closed 2¾ per cent lower and Great Northern preferred 6½ per cent lower. Missouri Pacific, which was under heavy pressure during the latter part of last week, closed only 1 per cent lower, while Louisville & Nashville, which was one of the strongest stocks last week, closed 2¼ lower.

With the exception of Reading, which closed 2¾ per cent lower, the coalers were not weaker than the remainder of the railroad list, which seemed to contradict the theory that the uncertainty regarding the coal situation was the sole depressing influence. Pennsylvania closed ⅞ per cent lower, and the other members of this group were only a shade lower than on Saturday.

Amalgamated Copper was one of the weakest stocks on the list, as it was also one of the most active. It declined from 106¾ to 102¼ and closed at 103⅝, a net loss of 2⅛ per cent. Anaconda Copper closed 2¾ per cent lower. It was reported from Butte that the district was experiencing one of the worst blizzards on record, which to some extent interfered with mining operations, but it is not believed this had any particular effect on the market. American Smelting closed 4⅞ and National Lead 4⅜ per cent lower than on Saturday.

The heaviness in United States Steel was discouraging to the bulls. The common closed 1½ and the preferred 1⅛ per cent lower. Colorado Fuel and Iron closed 3½ lower. In the miscellaneous group of industrials Peoples Gas lost 2¾ per cent and the Chicago Traction stocks closed fractionally lower.

Call loan rates ranged between 5¼ to 5½ per cent, averaging about 4⅝ per cent. Late in the day various absurd rumors gained currency, one that Mr. Rockefeller was critically ill, and another that a prominent operator had committed suicide. The circulation of these rumors indicated that the bears were active in depressing the market in the final dealings.

The local stock market was almost entirely dominated by the activity in mining stocks, which furnished about 32,000 shares out of a total for all stocks of 34,048 shares. Cable Consolidated was the most active, and on sales of more than 20,000 shares declined to $1, closing at $1 61. Since the listing of the stock last Thursday the price has declined 35 cents a share, and at no time has there been any evidence of support. Ohio Tonopah was firmer, selling to the extent of 11,000 shares at 59 to 63 cents a share. Tonopah Extension closed 25 cents lower at $12 25, and United Copper closed 2 per cent lower at 65. There were no transactions in Crucible Steel common and less than 500 shares of the preferred changed hands. United States Steel common declined to and closed at 38¾. The coal stocks were extremely dull, but the only important change in price was a decline of ⅞ in Pittsburgh Coal common, which sold at 14½. The preferred closed unchanged at 55½. Ohio Fuel Supply rallied to and closed at 38½. Manufacturers Light and Heat, after declining to 31¼, closed unchanged at 31½. The other natural gas stocks were unchanged. There was very little doing in the Westinghouse stocks, which were steady and unchanged.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Sales on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday were as follows:

10:00 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

200	Cable Consol.	1.10	
200	do	1.09	
100	do	1.08	
450	do	1.09	
100	do	1.08	
200	do	1.07	
500	do	1.06	
1000	do	1.05	
200	do	1.06	
200	do	1.05	
100	do	1.06	
250	do	1.05	
25	do	1.06	
100	do	1.05	
100	do	1.06	
500	Cable Consol.	1.05	
1000	do	1.02	
100	do	1.05	
500	do	1.06	
200	do	1.05	
100	do	1.06	
200	do	1.05	
100	do	1.06	
100	do	1.05	

10:30 A. M. to 11:00 A. M.

150	Cable Consol.	1.02	
100	do	1.02	
100	do	1.02	
50	do	1.02	
100	do	1.02	
400	do	1.02	
400	do	1.02	
50	do	1.01	
50	do	1.01	
100	do	1.01	
100	Cable Consol.	1.01	
100	Ohio Fuel	38	
50	Mfrs. L. & H.	31¼	
50	Riv. Coal pfd.	23	
15	do	23	
50	W. Airbrake	153½	
10	P. Coal pfd.	55½	
100	Ohio Tonopah	.61	
200	do	.61	

11:00 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

300	Cable Consol.	1.01	
100	do	1.01	
1000	do	1.01	
1000	do	1.02	
500	do	1.02	
100	do	1.02	
300	do	1.02	
200	do	1.02	
100	do	1.02	
200	do	1.02	
100	do	1.02	
100	do	1.02	
500	do	1.01	
1000	do	1.01	
500	do	1.02	
100	do	1.02	
100	do	1.02	
200	do	1.02	
200	do	1.02	
200	do	1.02	

12:30 P. M. to 2:00 P. M.

1000	Ohio Tonopah	.51	
3000	do	.51	
100	do	.51	
50	Cable Consol.	1.02	
25	do	1.02	
500	do	1.01	
200	do	1.02	
200	do	1.02	
200	do	1.02	
100	do	1.02	
500	do	1.02	
100	do	1.02	
500	do	1.02	
100	do	1.02	
200

INCLEMENT WEATHER KEEPS MARKET FIRM

Flour Shows a Tendency to Be Weaker, but No Change Is Made in Prices to Date.

Another day passed and still no changes on the local market. The bad weather continues to have the effect of keeping the butter, egg and poultry market stiff, but produce is declined to show a falling off in a few days. The markets of the south will soon be pouring their products into the northern markets, after which will be followed local products, with the effect of cheaper produce. California celery is still stiff, and Florida holds up well also.

There is some evidence abroad that flour may go lower. The supply is good, and cheap wheat invariably makes cheap flour. It is predicted that flour will take a drop in a few days, although there was no change noticable yesterday.

The provision market also was firm during the past week. There were no changes made in anything yesterday, and these prices have now reigned for the past two weeks without any changes, which is the exception to the rule. Even the approaching spring has no effect whatever on canned goods of every description and the prices on these remain firm.

HAY AND GRAIN.

Receipts bulletined yesterday: Pennsylvania, 20 cars oats, 20 cars hay, 5 cars feed, 4 cars straw, 1 car corn. Baltimore & Ohio, 6 cars hay, 20 cars oats, 1 car corn, 1 car straw. Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, 4 cars hay, 2 cars oats, 1 car straw.

The market was strong. The arrivals were easily placed and everything in sight was taken on arrival. Corn is still scarce and the demand good. Good No. 1 timothy is still in demand and the price is stiff. Prices are easily maintained.

No. 1 timothy	$12.00@12.50
No. 2	$11.75@12.25
No. 1 clover	$8.50@9.00
No. 2 clover	$7.75@8.25
No. 1 mixed	$9.50@10.00
No. 2 mixed	$8.75@9.25
Straw, oat	$6.50@7.00
do wheat	$6.50@7.00
do rye	$8.50@9.75
No. 2 white oats	35¼@35½c
No. 3 white oats	34¾@35c
No. 4 oats	33½@33¾c
No. 1 middlings	$21.50@22.00
No. 2 middlings	$21.00@21.50
do brown	$19.50@20.00
Bran, ton	$20.00@20.50
Wheat, No. 1 red, new, at mill	80@83c
Corn—New yellow shelled	46½@47c
New high mixed car	49@49½c
New yellow car	50@50½c
No. 2 Michigan rye	72@73c

FRUITS.

Apples, bbls, Kings, fancy	$6.00@6.50
Other fancy varieties	$5.25@5.50
do choice	$3.75@4.25
do California, box	$2.00@2.25
Lemons, Messinas, fancy	$3.00@3.50
do choice	$2.50@2.75
Oranges, Florida	$4.00@4.50
California seedlings	$2.25@3.00
Navel	$3.00@3.50
Cocoanuts, bags	$3.25@3.50
do doz	45@60c
Bananas, lots	$1.50@2.00
do 2nds	$1.00@1.50
Pineapples, smooth Cayennes	$4.00@4.50
Red Spanish	$4.00@4.50
Limes, per 100	$2.00@2.50
Dates, stuffed	16c
Figs, California, box	90c@$1.00
Layer, lb	10@20c
Grapes, Malaga, bbl	$5.00@5.50
do fancy	$6.00@7.00
Grape fruit, Florida	$5.00@6.00
Tangerine, strapa	$4.00@5.00

JOBBERS' YARD PRICES.

Potatoes, car lots, fancy, bu	50@60c
Cabbage, G. S., ton	$35.00@38.00
Florida celery, crate	$5.00@6.50
Apples, Fancy, bbl	$5.00@5.25
Choice, bbl	$3.50@4.25
Options, bbl	$1.25@1.35
do bu	40@60c
Cal. celery	$6.00@6.50

NUTS.

New California walnuts	17c
Chestnuts, Italian	7@8c
Hickory nuts, bu	$1.75@2.00
Walnuts, bu	50@75c
English walnuts, lb	12@15c
Butternuts	$1.25@1.50
Hazelnuts, lb	11@12c
Almonds, lb	14@15c
Pecans, lb	11@12c
Shellbarks	$2.00@2.25

DRIED FRUITS.

Raisins, 1-lb pkgs	8@9½c
Evap. peaches, 25-lb box, choice	10@11½c
Evap. apples, 1-lb pkg	7½@8c
Prunes, Cal. lb	5@10c
do fancy	11@12c
Evap. apricots, 25-lb box, choice	10@11½c
Cleaned currants, pkg	11c

HIDES.

Heavy green salt steers, over 60 lbs	12c
Light steers No. 1	11½c
Cows, all weights	11½c
Bulls, No. 1, over 90 lbs	3c
Calf, green salt, No. 2	10c
do No. 1	12c

PRODUCE.

Potatoes	65@70c
New potatoes, bbls	$3.00@3.50
Sweet potatoes, Jersey, fancy, bbl	$3.00@3.25
do crate	90c@$1.00
do medium, bbl	$1.75@2.00
do fancy, hamper	$1.00@1.10
Onions, yellow Danvers, bu	60@65c
do bbls	$1.50@1.75
Silver skins, bbls	$3.50@4.00
do bu	$1.50@1.75
Valencia, crates	$3.50@4.00
do Spanish, crates	$1.50@1.60
do green	15@20c
Cabbage, Florida, new crates	$2.25@2.50
do G. S., bbls	$2.25@2.50
do pound	2½@2½c
do Savoy, bbls	$1.00@1.25
Green onions, doz	35@40c
Parsnips, bbl	$1.75@2.00
Horseradish	$5.50@6.00
Brussels sprouts, quarts	15@18c
Radishes, doz	25@30c
Shallots	50@65c
Strawberries, qt	40@50c
Rhubarb, doz	50@60c
Green beans, bu	$5.00@6.00

GROCERIES.

Flour, Fancy spg. Minn. pat	$4.45@4.50
Kansas pat	$4.55@4.60
Fancy winter patent	$4.25@4.30
Rye	$2.30@3.85
Buckwheat	$2.40@2.60
Graham, 10-lb bags	$2.35@2.45
Cornmeal, bags	$3.10@3.20
Rolled oats, bbl	$1.20
do kegs	$2.75
Roasted Coffee.	
Rio	13@15½c
Santos	23½@24½c
Maracaibo	16@16½c
Peaberry	15½@16c
Golden Rio	15½c
Caracas	20@21½c
Standard, pkgs	14.55c
High grade	18½@19c
Molasses, fancy, refined	35@36c
do choice	31@34c
do Cyrup kettle	27@30c
do 2-lb	$1.35@1.65
do 3-lb	$1.85@2.00
Fancy syrup	28@30c
Maple sugar, gal	$1.00
Sug. and cane	21@25c
2-lb cans, doz	80c
2½-lb cans, doz	95c
5-lb cans, doz	$1.70
10-lb cans, doz	$2.40
Maple, gal	75c@$1.00
Sugar, stan. gran	4.70c
do bags	4.70c
do 2-lb carton	4.85c
do 5-lb bags	4.85c
do pow'd xxxx	4.85c
do stand. pow'd	4.85c
do cut loaf block	4.95c
Pepper, Singapore, lb	15c
Allspice	12c
Cloves	20c
Cassia, China in mats	10c
Nutmegs, fancy	75c
Ginger, African	12c
Mace	75c
Pickles, med bbl	$4.50
do small bbl	$3.50
do med half bbl	$2.50
do small half bbl	$2.00
Starch, pkgs	6c
Barrels, each	30c
Candles, stearine	9c
Electric Light	8c
Paraffine	9c
Wicking, doz	20c
Soda, bbls	5c
Saleratus	5c
Cream tartar, pure	30c
Vinegar, cider, bbl	$6.00
do white wine	13c
do White W. W.	10c
do cider, bbl	12½c
do Elaine	15c
Miners' oil, special brands	26@42c
Rice, ex-fancy head, lb	6½@7c
do fancy Japan	4¾@5c
do choice, Carolina	5¼@6c
Salt, No. 1 bbl	$1.10
do No. 1 extra	$1.20
do gran. rock	95c
do pocket	$1.65@2.10
do dairy	$1.40
Lentils, fancy	7c
"Pe- Co" lb	4½@5½c
Sauerkraut, 40-gal cask	$7.50@8.00
do 15-gal keg	$3.50@3.75
do bbls	$3.50@6.00
Honey, combed, w. c. fancy, lb	17@18c
do choice	15@15c
do buckwheat	15@16c

PROVISIONS.

Hams, 18 lbs and up	13½c
Over 14 to 18 lbs	13½c
Over 10 to 14 lbs	13½c
10 lbs and under	13c
Skinned	13½c
Boneless boiled	15½c
California	9½c
Shoulders, N. Y. cut	9½c
do skinned	10c
Ribs, 8 to 10 lbs	12½c
do 10 to 12 lbs	11½c
do back strips	11c
do clears, 8 to 10 lbs	12½c
do 10 to 12 lbs	12c
Breakfast bacon, back strips	11½c
Dry salt sides, extra short clears	9½c
Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs	9½c
do 16 to 20 lbs	9½c
do under 16 lbs	9½c
Dry salt smoked sides, extra short clears	10½c
Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs	10½c
do 16 to 20 lbs	10½c
do under 16 lbs	10½c
Lard, pure, tierces	8½c

BUTTERS, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter, Prints	30@30½c
Tubs	29@29½c
Ohio cream	26½@27c
Dairy	25@26c
Cooking	15@15c
Cheese, N. Y. full cream, new	14½@15c
Ohio full crm	14½@15c
do ½ cream	13@13½c
do Flenics	15@15½c
do Phila. cream, doz	90c@$1.00
do Wis. Swiss, tubs	15@15½c
do block	15@15½c
do imported	27@27½c
do Limberger, new	13½@14c
do 5-lb brick, new	14½@15c
do Neufchatel, large box	90c@$1.00
do Shefford, box	35c
Eggs, selected	16@17c
do southern	14@15c
do storage	12@13c

FIELD SEEDS.

No. 1 red clover, recleaned, bu	$8.65
No. 1 white clover, lawn, bu	$9.00
No. 1 Alsike clover, bu	$8.50
Strictly prime timothy, bu	$1.55
Fancy Kentucky blue grass, bu	$1.70
Fancy orchard grass, bu	$1.75
Fancy red top, lawn, bu	$1.50
Recleaned Alfalfa	$8.00
Fancy lawn grass, lb	18c
Crimson clover, bu	$6.50
Southern German millet, bu	$1.25

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, stn. pie	$1.05
do pie, gal	$2.50@3.00
do California, L. C	$1.90@2.05
do California, N. Y. fair	$1.80@2.25
Corn, fancy	$1.10@1.20
do standard	80@90c
Cherries, California, white	$2.50@2.75
Lima beans	$1.25@1.45
do soaked	75@80c
String beans, 2-lb	85@70c
do 3-lb	90@95c
Stringless beans	$1.10@1.60
Peas, marrowfat	80@90c
do early June	75@90c
do soaked	65@65c
Plums, California	$1.40@1.65
Apples, N. Y., gal. cans	$2.50@2.75
Pineapples	$1.25@2.50
Raspberries	85@95c
Gooseberries	85@90c
Tomatoes, fancy	$1.05@1.20
do standard	$1.00@1.05
do gal	$2.45
Succotash, 2-lb cans	$1.10@1.25
Baked beans, cans, tomato sauce	75@95c
Salmon, doz	85@$2.00
do red, 1-lb flats	95c@$1.00
do pink, 1-lb flats	$1.81@2.10
Chipped beef	$2.25@2.75
Corn and roast beef, 2-lb cans	$2.20@2.40
do 1-lb cans	$1.25@1.30
Mackerel, broiled	$1.90@2.50
Sardines, domestic, ½s	$2.50@2.60
do mustards, ⅛s	$2.50
do French	$6.50@18.50

POULTRY AND GAME.

Chickens	14@15c
do roosters	9@10c
do turkeys	15@16c
do geese	10@11c
do ducks	15@16c
do pigeons, doz	$1.00@1.15
Dressed hens	17@12c
do springers	19@20c
do roosters	11@12c
do turkeys	25@27c
Ducks, ruddy	$1.25
do red head	$1.70@3.50
do canvas-back	$2.75@2.90
Impt. golden plover, doz	$5.50
do black plover	$4.50
English pheasants, per pair	$3.25

COMPLETE RECORD OF THE NEW YORK STOCKS

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Company, 416 Wood street, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchanges and Chicago board of trade.

ACTIVE LIST.

Sales.	STOCKS.	Open	High	Low	Closing Bids.
11600	A., T. & S. F.	92⅞	93	91⅝	91⅝
100	Do preferred	102⅝	102⅝	102⅝	102⅝
1400	Am. Cotton Oil	34¼	34¾	33⅝	33¾
2800	Am. Sugar Refg.	137⅝	137⅝	136⅝	136⅝
6400	Am. Locomotive	65	69	65½	65½
86100	Am. Car Fdy	41½	41½	40⅜	40⅜
113300	Amal. Copper	106⅜	106⅞	102⅝	103⅜
33200	Ana. Copper	266	268	261	261
46800	Am. Sm. & Refg.	156½	156½	153½	153⅝
800	Do preferred	122½	122½	120⅝	120⅝
	Am. Woolen	43¾	45⅛	41⅞	41⅝
2100	B. & O.	110	110	109½	109½
100	Do preferred				
24200	B. Rapid Transit	84⅜	84⅜	82⅜	82⅜
8400	Canadian Pacific	170¾	170¾	169⅜	170
1200	Central Leather	44	44	43⅛	43⅜
1100	C. & G. W.	21	21	20½	20½
19000	Consolidated Gas	143⅞	144	142¼	142⅜
700	C., C., C. & S. L.	98½	98½	97⅝	97⅝
3500	C. & O.	57⅝	57⅝	56⅝	56⅝
200	Chicago & Alton.				
3900	C. & N. W.	224	224	221	221
18900	C. Fuel & Iron	62⅜	63⅜	59⅛	59⅜
100	Corn Product				
100	Del. per preferred				
100	D., L. & W.	445	445	445	445
600	Del. & Hudson	204	204	202½	202½
9800	Erie	42¾	42¾	41⅜	41⅜
200	Do 1st pfd	77¼	77¼	76¾	76¾
200	Do 2d pfd	67	67	66½	66½
100	General Electric	167⅜	167⅜	167⅜	167⅜
400	Hocking Valley	114	114½	114	114½
1600	Illinois Central	170¾	170¾	168½	168⅝
200	Iowa Central				
200	Inter. Paper	21	21	21	21
11400	L. & N.	152½	152½	149¾	149¾
100	Manhattan	157	157	157	157
16200	Missouri Pacific	96	96	94¾	94⅝
2000	M., K. & T.	35	35	34⅝	34⅝
2200	N. O. & T.	49¾	49¾	49	49
200	Norfolk & West	87½	87½	86¾	86¾
200	North Amer.	98⅝	98⅝	98½	98½
7500	Northern Pacific	217	217	214	214½
14000	Peoples Gas	94¾	94¾	92⅜	92⅜
	Pullman	238	238	238	238
1800	Pressed Steel Car	52	52	50½	51
100	Do preferred				
13400	Penna. R. R.	137⅜	137⅜	136⅜	136⅜
200	Pr. C., C. & St. L.	99	99	98	98
	Pgh. Coal	54½	54¾	54⅛	54⅛
	Railway Springs	57	57	57	57
17900	Reading	128⅛	128⅛	125¼	125⅝
3900	Rock Island	26⅛	26¼	25⅜	25⅜
300	Do preferred	66	66¼	66	66¼
200	Republic Iron	29	29	28½	28½
200	Do preferred	95	95⅜	95	95⅜
7200	Southern Pacific	65⅜	65⅝	65⅛	65⅜
18700	Southern Railway	40⅝	40⅞	40	40⅛
600	Do preferred	101⅞	101⅞	101⅜	101⅜
	St. Paul	175¾	176¼	173¾	173⅞
800	St. Louis & S'w'n	23½	23½	22⅞	22⅞
1000	Do preferred				
800	Texas & Pacific	33⅛	33⅛	33¼	33¼
200	T., St. L. & W.				
57400	U. S. Steel	40⅝	40⅝	39½	39⅝
16300	Do preferred	108	108	104⅜	104⅜
	Do 2d 5% bonds	98⅝	98⅝	98⅝	98⅝
52200	Union Pacific	152⅝	153⅜	151	151⅛
1000	U. S. Rubber	53½	53½	52⅜	52⅜
200	Do preferred				
	U. S. C. I. Pipe	45¾	46	45¼	45¼
500	Wabash	22½	22½	22¼	22¼
2500	Do preferred	49¾	49¾	49	49¼
100	Western Union	93	93	93	93
500	W. & L. E.	19¼	19¼	18½	18½
	Do 2d preferred	25¾	25¾	25⅝	25⅝
	Fed. M. & S. pfd.	103	103	103	103
1000	*Shelby Steel	85	89	79¾	79¾
4500	Am. Distillers Cor.	57¾	58	57	57
	Nickel Plate	68½	68½	67	67
	Gt. Northern pfd.	317	317	313¾	314

INACTIVE LIST.

400	Am. S. F'dries		12½	12	12
100	Do preferred		45	45	45
100	Am. Agr'l Chem		27⅝	27⅝	27⅝
100	Allis Chal. pfd		96⅝	96⅝	96⅝
200	Am. Hide & L		7¼	7	7
1400	Do preferred		32½	30½	30¾
100	Am. Malt pfd		28¾	26¼	26½
100	Am. Linseed		21½	21½	21½
100	Do preferred		46	46	46
3900	Am. Woolen		43¾	41⅝	41⅝
700	A. T. pfd. (new)		103½	103½	103½
550	Atl. Coast Line		157	154	154
5500	Do pfd. rights		6	4⅞	6
400	Chicago U. Trac		6	5⅝	5⅝
100	Do preferred		18½	18	18¼
400	C., C., H. & I		19¾	19	19
700	Denver & Rio G		44¼	43¾	43¾
100	Do preferred		86⅛	85¾	86⅛
200	Federal pfd		103	102½	102½
1300	Gt. Northern pfd		317	313¾	314
300	Int. Power Co		70¾	68	69
100	Kanawha & O		54	54	54
500	K. C. & Southern		28½	28	28¼

Sales.	STOCKS.	Open	High	Low	Closing Bids.
800	Do preferred		88¾	88	88
600	Knickerbocker Ice		8½	8½	8½
	Long Island R. R		71	71	71
500	M. S.P. & S.S.M.		152	152	152
800	Do preferred		174¾	174¾	174¾
	M., K. & T.		35	34⅝	34⅝
200	Nat. R. of M. pfd.		60	59⅝	59⅝
500	N. Y. Airbrake		150	148	149½
100	Pacific G. Co		115	115	115
100	Pgh. Coal pfd		54⅞	54⅝	54⅝
900	*Sloss		80	79¾	79¾
100	Third Avenue		132	132	132
200	Twin City		117	117	117
100	U. S. R. & R. Co		26	26	26
	Va. Car.—Chem		51¾	49⅝	50¼
	Do preferred		116	116	116
800	Va. Iron, C. & C.		46¼	46	46½

750400 Shares total sales.

*Ex-dividend.

NEW YORK BOND MARKET.

Following is a record of sales on the New York stock exchange yesterday, reported over the private wires of Whitney, Stephenson & Co., Frick building:

(Sales in $1,000.)

5	Am Tob 8s	116½	
26	Am Tob 4s	79¾	
8	do	79¾	
10	A Arbor 1st 4s	96¼	
10	Atch cv 4s	100⅛	
40	do	100	
28	do	102⅞	
5	do	102⅞	
40	do	102⅝	
5	do	102⅝	
10	D. L. & W.	445	
17	B & O gold 4s	104	
10	do	103⅝	
11	B & O 3½s	91	
7	B. & O. P. L. E. & W. 4s	88⅛	
13	B. R. T. cv 4s	95½	
6	do	95⅝	
5	do	95⅝	
10	Can. Sou. 2ds	96	
5	C. R. I. & P. rcf.	119¾	
12	do	85⅞	
25	C. R. I. & P. rcf.	119¾	
5	Chgo N W 4s	101½	
5	Col. Mid 4s	77	
5	Col. So 4s	91	
15	Con. Gas 6s	141½	
40	do	141	
26	do	141½	
5	do	141½	
10	Erie cv 4s A	105½	
10	do	105½	
15	do	105	
8	do	104¾	
50	do	104½	
19	Erie pri lien 4s	104½	
5	Erie GM 1n 4s	92	
9	Ft W & D 1st	113	
11	do	113¾	
5	Ft W & D 1st	113	
16	Jap 6s 2nds	100½	
19	do	100⅝	
11	do	100⅝	
16	Jap 4½s	91⅞	
10	do	90⅞	
100	Jap 4½s 2nds	90⅝	
10	do	90⅞	
7	do	89⅝	
1	do	89⅝	
7	K C So 3s	74	
10	do	74¼	
5	Long Is 4s	93	
14	Mex Cen 1st inc	23⅝	
5	M K & T 1st	112⅝	
5	M K & T 4s	109⅜	
13	MK& S 4½s rcts	89½	
10	do	89	
11	N Y C deb 4s	101½	
6	do	101¼	
6	N YC M C 3½s	89¾	
85	N & W 4s	102¾	
18	N P 4s	101	
8	O S L 5s	117	
21	O S L 1dg 4s	96¼	
5	Penna cv 3½s	100⅝	
50	do	100⅝	
10	Pac & East 1st	101	
10	Peo & East inc	19	
5	Rome W & O	116¼	
5	St L SW cn 4s	85¾	
35	St P & M	111	
10	S A L 5s	103½	
6	S A L 4s	89¼	
41	So Pac ref 4s	90⅝	
6	do	90¾	
5	do	90⅝	
11	So Pac 4s	89¾	
13	Union Pac 4s	104⅞	
15	U S S F 5s	98½	
73	do	98⅝	
31	do	98½	
12	do	98⅜	
49	Wab Ds	81	
5	West Md cv 4s	74	
13	Wis Cen 4s	92½	

Total, $1,901,800.

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

Atchison	91¾	Am. Tel. & Tel	136½
Do preferred	102¾	American Woolen	41½
Boston & Albany	264	Do preferred	107½
Boston & Maine	195¾	Dom. Iron & Steel	20
Boston Elevated	154¼	Edison Elec. Ill	244
Fitchburg pfd	141	Mass. Electric	20
Mexican Central	24¾	Do preferred	69½
N. Y. N. H. & H	199	Mass. Gas	43
Union Pacific	150⅝	United Fruit	107⅜
*Am. Arge. Chem.	29	United Shoe Mach.	32½
*Do preferred	97	Do preferred	31
American Sugar	136½	U. S. Steel	39¼
Do preferred	137	Do preferred	106⅞

*Asked.

New York Curb Stocks.

(Reported by Henry Sproul & Co.)

Amer. Tin Can	9¼	Seaboard Air Line	28
Do preferred	66	Do preferred	53
Electric Vehicle	12	Standard Oil	660
Do preferred	45	Tennessee Copper	45½
Green Con. Cop	28¾	Tonopah	18½
Interborough	238	Bethlehem Steel	26
Int. Mer. Mar	12	Do preferred	87
Do preferred	33¾	Greene Gold	3⅜
International Salt	41	United Copper	56
Do 5s	71	Do preferred	86
Otis Elevator	59	Green Gold & SMT	5½
Do preferred	103		

Chicago Stocks.

Amer. Can	9¼	Diamond Match	133
Do preferred	66½	National Biscuit	67⅝
Chicago Subways	48½	Do preferred	118
Chicago Edison	175½	Quaker Oats	135
Pneumatic Tool	36	Swift & Co	107
*Chicago T. & T.	82	No. Chi. St. Ry	82

*Ex-div. 1½ per cent.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

PITTSBURGH UNION STOCK YARDS.

Monday, March 19, 1906.

STOCK ON SALE.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep
J. B. Huff & Co	5	6¼	4
S. B. Hedges & Co	12	3½	16
McCall & Newburn	15	4	15
W. & B. Brinkman	18	48½	2½
L. Dyer & Co	5½	2½	2½
McCaulley	2		
J. Neely & Co	28	1½	
M. Huffman	4		
L. Lowenstein	4		
F. A. Schmitz & Bro	5		
Joyce	19½	2½	3
Ohio Live Stock	9½	8½	1
Penna. Com. Co	9½	1	1
Totals	133	29¼	103
Last week	154	32½	13½

SALES.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.	Calves
Monday	2798	6250	3862	852
Tuesday	4	737	41	255
Wednesday	8	467	469	107
Thursday	20	883	786	849
Friday	9	1559	1173	211
Saturday	113	1019	633	73
Totals	2360	10908	6956	2181
Last week	3061	10689	6234	1730

SHIPMENTS.

	New York.			Phila.			Local.		
	C.	H.	S.	C.	H.	S.	C.	H.	S.
Monday	14	8	..	2	2	9	33	15	11
Tuesday	4	5	..	1	1	5	9	2	3
Wednes'y	34	2	1	57	..	2	2	6	..
Thursday	1	2	..	3	3	..	..	1	..
Friday	19	12	1	21	..	..	4	4	5
Saturday	12	24	4	25	4	7	10	13	2
Totals	74	64	9	118	11	23	58	53	21
Last week	69	58	11	76	15	27	74	69	14

Cattle.

Supply fair, 133 loads; market steady; choice, 1,400 to 1,600 lbs. $5 60@5 85; prime, 1,200 to 1,400 lbs. $5 30@5 50; good, 1,250 to 1,300 lbs. $5 15@5 30; tidy, 1,050 to 1,150 lbs. $4 75@5 10; fair, 900 to 1,100 lbs, $4 10@4 60; common, 700 to 900 lbs. $3 50@4 00; good choice heifers, $4 00@4 40; common to fair heifers, $3 50@3 75; common to good fat cows, $2 00@4 00; common to good fat bulls, $3 00@4 25; good fresh cows and springers, $35 00@60 00; common to fair, $20 00@30 00.

Sheep and Lambs.

Supply light, 12 double decks; market strong on sheep and 10 cents higher on lambs; prime wethers, $6 10@6 25; good mixed, $5 90@6 00; fair mixed, 75 to 90 lbs, $5 25@5 50; common, $2 00@4 00; lambs, $5 60@7 25; veal calves, $7 50@8 00; heavy and thin, $4 50@5 00.

Hogs.

Receipts light; 30 doube decks; demand good; market active and higher; prime, $6 65@6 70; medium and heavy Yorkers, $6 30@6 85; light Yorkers, $6 15@6 30; pigs, $6 00@6 10; roughs, $5 00@5 75; stags, $3 50@4 25.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, March 19.—Cattle—Receipts, 21,000 head; market 5 to 10c lower; common to prime steers, $3 25@6 40; cows, $3 85@4 60; heifers, $2 75@5 25; bulls, $2 60@4 25; calves, $3 00@7 75; stockers and feeders, $2 75@4 75. Hogs—Receipts, 45,000 head; market 5@10c lower; choice to prime heavy, $6 35@6 42½; medium to good heavy, $6 30@6 35; butcher weights, $6 30@6 40; good to choice heavy mixed, $6 30@6 35; packing, $5 90@6 25. Sheep—Receipts, 36,000 head; market for sheep steady; lambs, 15@25c lower; sheep $4 25@6 25; lambs, $4 70@6 75.

NEW YORK, March 19.—Beeves—Receipts, 2,724 head; steers slow and generally 10@15c lower, except for extra stock; bologna bulls steady; fat bulls slow; cows steady to slow; steers, $4 30@6 60; bulls, $3 25@4 10; few fancy do, $4 70; cows, $2 00@4 25; Liverpool and London cables, quoted live cattle firm at 10¾@12c lb, dressed weight. Sheep steady at 12¾@13½c; lambs, 14½c, dressed weight; refrigerator beef selling at 9¼c lb; exports tomorrow, 100 head cattle. Calves—Receipts, 2,789 head; good veals steady; others slow to a fraction lower; barnyard calves steady; veals, $4 00@9 00; barnyard calves, $3 00@4 00; dressed calves steady; city dressed veals, 8½@13½c lb; country dressed, 8@12c. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 9,179 head; sheep steady; lambs slow, but firm to 10c higher; sheep, $4 00@5 00; no good sheep here; lambs, $6 50@7 60; culls, $5 50. Hogs—Receipts, 10,542 head; market higher; state hogs, $6 85@7 00.

CINCINNATI, March 19.—Hogs steady; butchers and shippers, $6 67½@6 80; common, $5 25@6 40. Cattle steady; fair to good shippers, $4 00@5 50; common, $2 50@3 25. Sheep steady at $3 50@3 75; lambs, $4 50@7 25.

KANSAS CITY, March 19.—Cattle—Receipts, 10,700 head, including 1,000 southerns; market steady to 10c lower; top quarantine steers, $5 00; choice export and dressed beef steers, $5 40@5 80; fair to good, $4 25@5 25; western-fed steers, $3 75@5 40; stockers and feeders, $2 75@4 50; southern steers, $3 75@5 00; southern cows, $2 25@4 00; native cows, $1 25@4 80; native heifers, $3 00@5 25; bulls, $2 50@4 25; calves, $4 00@7 50. Hogs—Receipts, 8,600 head; market 5@10c lower; top, $6 22½; bulk of sales, $6 10@6 15; heavy, $6 15@6 22½; packers, $6 10@6 22½; pigs and lights, $5 00@6 15. Sheep—Receipts, 5,000 head; market 5 to 10c lower; native lambs, $5 60@6 60; western lambs, $5 60@6 50; ewes and yearlings, $4 50@5 50; western-fed yearlings, $5 00@5 90; western-fed sheep, $4

SLOGAN IS "SEE AMERICA FIRST!"

Railroad Men Try to Stem Tide of Travel from Europe—New Yard on Union Road.

WEATHER CAUSES TROUBLE

"See America first!" is to be the slogan of passenger men this year. For several years railroad men have been watching American travel flowing to Europe in larger and larger tides. It is said by steamship men of Pittsburgh that 1906 gives promise of having a larger amount of travel than any former year. Evidently foreign travel has come to be a luxury to be enjoyed more because somebody else is enjoying such a trip or has enjoyed a journey abroad than because there is more to be seen, more rest to be secured or something of that sort.

According to one passenger officer, American railroads are beginning to realize what immense sums have been expended, and partly wasted in a practical sense, in endeavoring to attract Americans to travel in this country and see something of the home land before taking a luxurious trip abroad. This realization, said this officer, is tending toward concentration of effort, especially in certain well known sections.

Several passenger men said that "See America first!" is to be their slogan. No orders establishing this expression have been issued by general passenger officers or associations, but quiet instructions have been to this point. For scenery, Colorado, Grand canon, Yellowstone park, Canada and other summer tourist points are to be exploited, while Mexico and the old-time south are to be placed before tourists for next fall and winter. An endeavor will thus be made to secure a large portion of the estimated $200,000,000 that is spent by Americans in Europe each year.

Union Road Starts Big Ore Yard.

Work has been started by the Union railroad on a large receiving and classifying ore and coal yard about three miles north of Bessemer. This plant will also call for a small northbound yard, although most importance attaches to the southbound yard through the road's receiving immense shipments of ore from the Bessemer & Lake Erie. About half of the trackage is to be laid this year, there being provision for 3,000 cars when the entire yard plant is completed. Another probable improvement of this road this year will be a revision of the Union road from the Port Perry end of the Monongahela river bridge to Homestead. By August of this year it is expected that about seven miles will be added to this road's operations by opening the Monongahela Southern road from its connection with the Union railroad to its junction with the Wabash steel link. A yard with capacity for about 1,800 cars will be a part of this operation, and this yard is to be handled by the Union railroad under Superintendent McFeaters.

Spring Worse Than Winter.

Ten days of March have been worse for railroads in this district than the entire winter. Heavy snow has retarded freight movement until freight men have feared a congestion as bad as that of three years ago. After heavy work on Sunday, however, conditions have been greatly improved. At Pennsylvania railroad offices yesterday it was said that conditions were favorable and that all freight had been cleared and was moving freely. Superintendent of Freight Transportation R. M. Patterson of the Pennsylvania at Philadelphia, and General Superintendent R. L. O'Donnel of the Buffalo & Allegheny Valley at Buffalo, were here conferring with Pittsburgh officers. Operating officers of other lines reported their roads in good shape. Trouble has been experienced with snow and sleet tearing down telegraph wires worse in the past 10 days. Roads operating in the Allegheny mountains were struck in this way yesterday, but roads west of Pittsburgh had no trouble. Maintenance officers are expecting trouble enough when the snow leaves the hills. Preparations are being made to protect bridges and tracks from high water.

Finds No Pay Roll Padding.

General Auditor Porter of the Wabash is still investigating charges that payrolls were padded by foremen in the maintenance department. Up to yesterday no information that such padding was done had been found, but the investigation is still under way. "There has been absolutely no evidence that padding was done," said Mr. Porter, "and I ordered the man arrested by some one for such an offense set free. There was no evidence against him. I have the investigation still on, but there may be nothing come from it. There has possibly been the good done of stopping such action among the men if they had been guilty of it before."

Claim Railroad Is Encroaching.

Many citizens of Glassport, including W. S. Kearney, cashier of the Glassport National bank; P. S. McMullen, borough engineer; J. W. Jones, T. S. Lynch and other leading men of the town, have become engaged in a controversy with the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad over the right of the company to some ground in the upper portion of the borough, and successfully held by 100 laborers employed by the company. The railroad company is building new tracks on the ground in dispute. Yesterday a barricade was built under the direction of Jones and Lynch to keep the laborers from encroaching upon the land to which the Glassport men claim ownership. The foreman of the laborers attempted to enter the forbidden ground, and was forcibly ejected, landing at the bottom of an embankment. J. W. Jones says the railroad company has already encroached upon about five acres of property owned by him and the others named, and that notices that the work must stop were posted. He asserts that the company has cut into about 200 feet of roadway to a stone quarry, and that he was compelled to close the quarry. He says the company used dirt taken from his premises to fill in for new tracks. Jones and Lynch stood guard at the place yesterday, and it is said others will join them and that they will be armed.

Railroad Notes.

General Manager Peck of the Pennsylvania lines west is enjoying a brief vacation.

The regular fortnightly staff meeting of the Wabash will be held in Pittsburgh today.

Superintendent of Motive Power Demarest and Chief Clerk Wilt of the Ft. Wayne route were here from Ft. Wayne, Ind.

Baltimore & Ohio passenger conductors, baggagemasters and trainmen are being instructed in a special airbrake car at the Pittsburgh station this week.

Master Mechanic C. B. Smith of the Boston & Maine, was here from Boston visiting Superintendent of Motive Power Turner and other Pittsburgh & Lake Erie officers.

Pittsburgh division officers of the Pennsylvania held their regular weekly staff meeting yesterday, there being a number of special topics up because of the change in trainmasters' locations.

H. T. Harlow, assistant city passenger agent of the Erie at Chicago, has been appointed traveling passenger agent at Memphis, Tenn., and W. O. Rock, assistant ticket agent at Cleveland, Ohio, becomes city passenger agent at Chicago.

Commuters at Elizabeth and nearby stations have petitioned Pittsburgh & Lake Erie officers for a change of train service which will place them in Pittsburgh before 8 o'clock a. m. and allow them to leave for home shortly after 5 o'clock.

Chief Clerk U. G. Couffer of Freight Traffic Manager McCabe's office of the Pennsylvania lines west, spent Sunday with his mother at Covington, O., and Secretary G. W. Blakeslee and wife spent the day at their former home in Columbus.

Emigrant travel on the Baltimore & Ohio, long known as the leader in handling this travel from New York and Baltimore westward, is unusually heavy. Estimates place the number at 10,000 through Pittsburgh within a week to end next Friday. About 3,000 have stopped in Pittsburgh.

Foreign Makes.

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LOUBET'S RETURN TO PRIVATE LIFE

The ex-president of France and his wife entering their new abode in Rue Dante, Paris. They were escorted from the Elysee by two squadrons of cuirassiers and were received at their new residence by the ministers of his cabinet.

Lines of Signal Development.

A visit to the Union Switch and Signal Company's plant at Swissvale reveals nothing more clearly than the great development of railroading in America in recent years. Block signaling, really a modern phase of railroading, already is showing development along particular lines. For instance, greatest technical advances are now being made in perfecting automatic signals for heavy traffic roads that are operated by electric motive power. This company installed the signal system in the New York subway, and is also building a system somewhat similar for the Pennsylvania's West Jersey & Seashore division. Progress in automatic blocking has been particularly noticeable in orders booked for style "B" electric motor semaphore signal, these orders exceeding in 1906 the total output of 1905. Two large electro-pneumatic orders are now being filled. There are also several orders for electro-pneumatic and all-electric interlocking plants. Altogether there are orders booked for work eight months ahead.

Agents Hold Banquet.

Agents of the Pennsylvania's Pittsburgh division changed tactics for the last meeting of their association at Greensburg. They took their wives along and instead of holding a formal meeting enjoyed a social hour and had a banquet in the armory. It is the intention to make this banquet a feature at least once a year. Baltimore & Ohio agents will hold their regular monthly meeting at the Water street station in this city tomorrow. A large attendance is expected. Formal organization of the association will be completed and subjects of special interest will be discussed.

Attending Maintenance Convention.

Several Pittsburgh railroad officers are attending the American Railway Engineering and Maintenance of Way association's annual convention at Chicago, headquarters being at the Auditorium hotel. The convention will open today and conclude Thursday. Chief Engineer Atwood of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie is chairman of the committee on yards and terminals; Assistant Chief Engineer Raymer is chairman of the committee on buildings, and Assistant Engineer Wendt is chairman of the committee on records, reports, and accounts. Robert Trimble, chief engineer of maintenance of way of the Fort Wayne route, is representing the Pennsylvania lines west.

MUTINOUS LIEUTENANT AND SAILORS EXECUTED

Russian Naval Officer, Who Commanded Rebellious Crews, Pays Penalty.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

ST. PETERSBURG, March 19.—Former Lieutenant Schmidt, who commanded the vessels of the Black sea fleet which mutinied in November of last year, was shot today at Otchakoff with three of his sailors.

A mutiny of 4,000 sailors at Sebastopol, complicated with a general strike of employes of the post and telegraph services, broke out on November 25, 1905. Schmidt, who had been dismissed from the navy because of his revolutionary opinions, went on board the cruiser Otchakoff and assumed command of that vessel and of the mutinous ships.

On November 27 the Otchakoff and nine other vessels of the Black sea fleet and a regiment of infantry attempted to seize the city. The ships opened fire on the forts, which replied, sinking the cruisers Otchakoff and Dneiper and a transport. Schmidt was captured. The seven remaining ships surrendered to the loyal warships of Admiral Choukuin, and on November 30 the regiment which had revolted was forced to surrender. The casualties were estimated at 5,000.

RUSSIAN TEA MERCHANTS FAIL FOR $13,500,000

MOSCOW, March 19.—D. and A. Rasstorgoueff, brothers, the largest tea merchants in Russia, have failed for $13,500,000.

Death Follows a Marriage.

PHILADELPHIA, March 19.—Nicholas Brice, banker and vice president of the stock exchange, died at his home today of a complication of diseases, less than 24 hours after the marriage of his daughter at his bedside. He was prominent in financial circles and was a member of the Society of Colonial Wars and other organizations. Mr. Brice was about 80 years of age.

Cincinnati Man Kills Companion.

CHICAGO, March 19.—Nicholas J. Dickoff, 23 years old, of Cincinnati, who was employed as a cook in a boarding house, was shot and killed today by Jacob W. Young, aged 18, while in the room of Mrs. Mildred Amann at the Grace hotel. Young, Mrs. Amann and Mrs. Mabel Grief, all of Cincinnati, were arrested and are being held by the police.

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For Brownsville only, 6.10, 8.20, 9.15 a. m., 1.05, 3.25, 7.20, and 11.35 p. m. week-days; 7.00, 8.50 a. m., and 1.05, 4.40, and 9.40 p. m. Sundays. For West Brownsville, 1.05 and 3.25 p. m., week-days. For Dravosburg, West Elizabeth, Monongahela City, and Belle Vernon, 6.10, 8.20, 9.15, 10.55 a. m., 1.05, 3.25, 4.40 (3.25 to Monongahela City), 7.20 and 11.35 p. m., week-days. Sundays, 7.00, 9.30 a. m., 1.05, 4.50, 5.00 and 9.40 p. m.
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Central Time—*Daily.

	Depart.	Arrive.
Wbg., Tol., St.L., Kansas City	*6.00 am	6.25 pm
Wheeling special, Sunday only	7.00 am	8.20 pm
Wbg., St.L., Cin., Kansas City	*5.50 pm	7.15 am

RAILROADS.

Pittsburgh Union Station.

Pennsylvania Lines.

By Central Standard Time.

TRAINS LEAVE FOR

CHICAGO	(Ft. Wayne Route) *3.15 am *7 am *7 pm *8.45 pm *11.45 pm. (Pan-Handle Route) *1.30 am *12.30pm *5 pm.
ST. LOUIS	*1.30 am *4.50 am *8 am *5 pm *8.15 pm *8.45 pm.
CLEVELAND	*3.15 am *5.30 am *7.30 am *9 am *1 pm *3.20 pm *5 pm *11 pm.
INDIANAPOLIS	*1.30 am *4.50 am *8 am *5 pm *8.15 pm *8.45 pm.
CINCINNATI	*1.30 am *4.50 am *8 am *8.15 pm *8.45 pm.
LOUISVILLE	*4.50 am *5 pm *8.45 pm *8.45 pm.
COLUMBUS	*1.30 am *4.50 am *8 am *12.20 pm *5 pm *8.15 pm *8.45 pm.
TOLEDO AND DETROIT	*11.30 am *8.50 pm.
ERIE	*7.25 am *4.30 pm 10.10 pm.
JAMESTOWN	*6.30 am *7.35 am *12 pm *4.30 pm 10.10 pm.
NEW CASTLE	*7.30 am *7.35 am *7.35 am *7.30 am *12 pm *3.20 pm *4.30 pm *6.30 pm *10.35 pm 10.10 pm.
ASHTABULA	*9.30 am *4.30 pm.
YOUNGSTOWN	*7.30 am *8.30 am *1.30 pm *4.30 pm.
AKRON	*3.15 am *5.40 am *7.20 am *5 am *5 pm *11 pm.
BARBERTON	*5.40 am *7.30 am *8 am.
WHEELING	*5.30 am *8.30 pm *11.50 am *3.35 pm *7 pm.
MERCER and OIL CITY	*7.55 am *4.30 pm.
BELLAIRE	*5.40 am *8.05 am *1 pm *5.02 pm 7.35 am 10.10 pm.
ALLIANCE	*4.30 am *8 am *1.35 pm *4.30 pm *6 pm.
WASHINGTON, PA.	*6 am *9 am *9.45 am *1.30 pm *2 pm *4.10 pm *6.05 pm *8.15 pm *10.50 pm 7.30 am *8.35 am 10.30 pm.
STEUBENVILLE	(Pan-Handle Route) *5.40 am 10.25 am *12.30 pm *4.20 pm *11 pm 11.30 am.
	(C. & P. Div.) *5.40 am *8.05 am *1 pm *4.02 pm 7.35 am 10.10 pm *7.35 am *8.35 pm.

*Daily. †Week days. ‡Sundays. A Lv. Allegheny.

NEW YORK CENTRAL LINES

Pittsburgh & Lake Erie R. R. Cleveland Short Line.

Schedule in Effect June 24, 1905.

Central Time.	Depart.	Arrive.
Chicago, Toledo & Detroit	* 7.15 am	* 8.25 pm
Cleveland "Flyer"	* 7.15 am	* 6.30 pm
Cleveland & Youngstown Ex.	* 8.15 am	* 6.00 pm
Buffalo Limited	* 3.00 am	* 3.00 pm
Cleveland, Toledo & Detroit	*12.35 pm	* 8.25 pm
Cleveland and Chautauqua	* 9.00 am	*12.15 pm
Buffalo & Eastern Express	12.35 pm	† 6.30 pm
Lake Chautauqua Fast Line	12.35 pm	* 6.30 pm
Buffalo & Erie Express	* 5.00 pm	*10.00 pm
Cleveland & Chicago Ex.	* 2.30 pm	*12.15 pm
Boston Special	* 3.00 pm	* 8.25 am
Cleveland & Detroit "Flyer"	* 6.15 pm	*11.15 am
Chicago Limited	* 4.15 pm	* 6.25 am
Buffalo Express	*10.00 pm	* 6.25 am
Cleveland Night Express	*11.00 pm	* 6.25 am
Youngstown Local	† 5.30 am	* 9.00 am
Beaver Falls Local	† 6.45 am	† 5.25 am
Beaver Falls Local	† 1.10 pm	† 9.30 am
Beaver Falls Local	† 5.30 pm	†12.15 pm
New Castle Local	†11.50 am	† 4.10 pm
New Castle Express	† 4.25 pm	†7.30 pm
New Castle Express	† 0.30 am	† 1.10 pm
Beaver Falls Express	† 8.25 pm	† 6.30 am
Beaver Valley Local	† 9.00 pm	† 6.45 am
Brownsville Local	† 8.10 am	† 7.00 am
Brownsville & N. Haz. Ex.	† 3.00 am	* 8.00 am
McKeesport & Brownsville	†11.20 am	†11.40 pm
Brownsville & New Haven	* 3.30 pm	* 4.50 pm
Brownsville Express	* 5.20 pm	* 6.05 pm
Brownsville Express	†10.20 pm	† 1.50 pm

P., C. & Y. trains for Carnegie, Beadling and Beechmont, 6.30 a. m., 12.30 a. m., 4.10 p. m.

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday.

City and Station at 8.15 a. m., 1.15 and 5.03 p. m.

J. B. YOHE, Gen. Manager. L. A. ROBISON, Gen. Pass. Agent. Pittsburgh, Pa.

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